

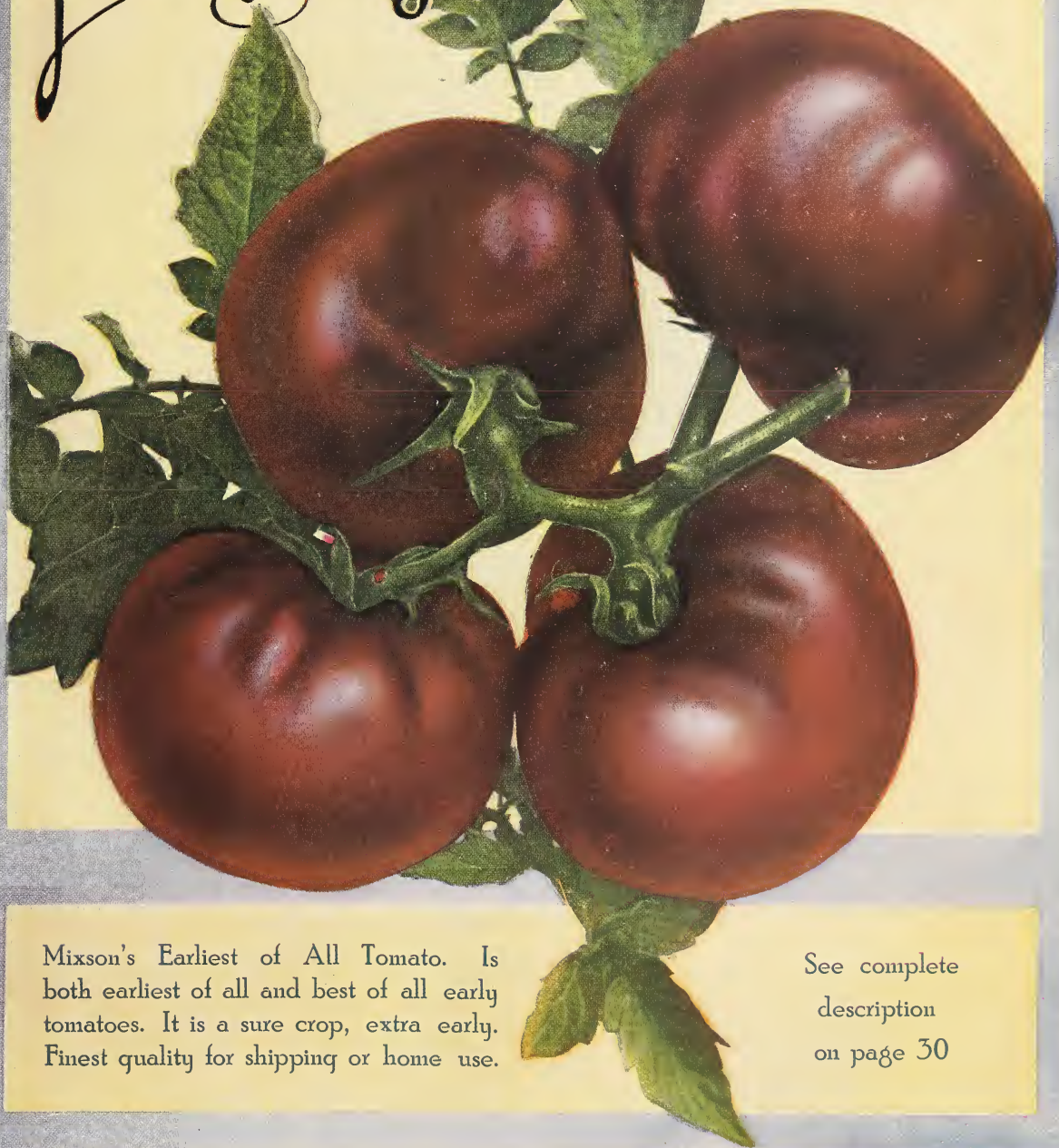
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# MIXSON'S *for 1920* High Grade Seed



Mixson's Earliest of All Tomato. Is both earliest of all and best of all early tomatoes. It is a sure crop, extra early. Finest quality for shipping or home use.

See complete  
description  
on page 30





This shows part of our Porto Rico Yam Sweet Potato crop which was put in after Irish Potatoes, Cucumbers and Tomatoes. The Sweet Potatoes are turning out fine and at  $3\frac{1}{2}c$  a pound in October and November are paying better than the first crops. Before Sweet Potatoes are shipped a long distance they should be cured and culled. Every Sweet Potato grower should write to South Carolina Experiment Station, Clemson College, S. C., and United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., for bulletins on Sweet Potato curing and how to prevent Sweet Potato disease. Also plans and cost of building Sweet Potato storage houses.

The two best and most popular varieties are Porto Rico and Nancy Hall. We plant Porto Rico on north side of farm and Nancy Hall on south side with other crops between this keeps them from getting mixed, then we have our seed for bedding picked over. This insures your getting unmixd plants in above varieties. Write for our price in large quantity. See price of small amounts on page 39.

We use Ferndale as a school in which we study all varieties and crops for the garden and field (except cotton, which we handle in a separate and specialized department). We work to make a profit out of the crops and the fine pedigreed hogs that we raise on it.

At the same time, we test our every variety offered by any legitimate grower or breeder, which gives any indication of being a better money maker for Southern farms and gardens. We are anxious to find out as quickly as possible all about any claimed improvement of an old variety that is offered, or anything that is really new. Not only do we test varieties of every class, but we also test out the value of insecticides and fertilizers, spraying and dusting machines.

If there is anything new that is good, we want to plant it or use it ourselves, to increase the profit on the farm, and offer it to our customers. Ferndale is a school that has a 52-week term; there is always a lesson to study, or a class to attend, like every other up-to-date farm, there is something growing all the time, and to know about a variety it has got to be watched from the time the seed is put in the ground, until the plant is matured and the seed gathered, cleaned and tested for germination.

A farm like Ferndale is more than an ordinary farm, because of this feature. We have been able to make Ferndale pay a good profit to date, and at the same time have gained valuable first-hand knowledge about gardening and farming. Every gardener, trucker or farmer has a direct interest in Ferndale Farm. Your interest and benefit from Ferndale comes to you in the good first-class seed it enables us to supply.

When you buy and plant Mixson's seed, you will know that our varieties have been tested out under practical conditions. What we recommend we **KNOW**, by **EXPERIENCE**, to be **GOOD**. Truckers around Charleston **KNOW** this, and that is why we sell right here at home fully 95 per cent. of the truckers and 75 per cent. of all they buy. We are the only people in the Southeast selling seed, operating a truck and vegetable farm at a profit.

We believe in **PRACTICAL** things—not in theory—until theory has been proven practical through experiment. We are better situated and better fitted for supplying the market gardens and large truck growers of the South than any one you can mention. **HOME GARDENERS** will know that our seed are the ones that they can depend on because where a market gardener buys, is a good place for every one else to buy.

We like to hear about good crops. Write to us about your experience with our seed—or any other seed. There is a whole lot for us all to learn yet about farming. We learn as much from the experience of others as from our own experience.

**THE HIGH CLOST OF LIVING** is a thing that the farmer and gardener can partly control for his own benefit. Folks can put off buying new clothes but it is not so with food. It is very plain that food crops will be profitable to grow for home use or to sell, for a long time and the more you can grow in 1920 the better off you will be. We have a special pamphlet of instruction for home gardening and canning, which anyone may have for the asking.

We thank you for your orders the past year and shall be pleased to supply you with the same class of High Grade Seed and service in 1920.

Very truly yours,

W. H. MIXSON SEED CO.,

*W. H. Mixson*  
Pres.





*All of Mixson's*



*Seed are Good*



This shows a portion of the field of 10% Cob Corn (see back page) shocked and the ground again roughly broken the first preparation in getting it ready for another crop of our Charleston Wakefield Cabbage. This field from the 1st of December, 1918, to September 26th has made two profitable crops—first cabbage, then corn, and will be perfectly prepared, fertilized and cabbage plants set before December 1st. To help keep up the fertility of the soil Iron or Brabham Cow Peas are sown in the corn middles at the last cultivation. This is really three paying crops in less than twelve months.

Our Special Charleston Wakefield Cabbage and 10% Cob Corn are sure crop varieties and money makers. We know because we have "proved their value here."

CHARLESTON, S. C., January, 1, 1920.

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND REMEMBER**

That our prices are based on the very best quality of seed selected especially for planting in the South; that the quality is the kind which will satisfy the most particular buyer. Safe and sound—delivery is guaranteed. We believe in leaving nothing undone that will help our customers to get better crops and better profits from our seed. Our success depends on the seed you sow. That, though, is only one reason why we want you to sow only the best, which is **Mixson's Seed**. A trial order will prove this. Our aim is to satisfy in every particular, in every way possible, every one, whether a new customer or an old one. We feel that your success is our success.

**We Pay the Cost**

of sending us any amount above 50c. It is best to send a post office or express money order and deduct the cost of it from the total amount of order. (If impossible to send money order a check may be sent.) We pay in this way any cost of sending money. For amount up to 50c a money order is the safe way, but can remit in postage stamps if necessary.

**Terms: Cash With Order.**

If you do not know the price and want seed sent in a hurry, remit about one-fourth of the estimated amount. We will make you the lowest price and send according to your instructions, C. O. D. or freight, with bill of lading attached to sight draft. We pay exchange and all costs of collecting. No goods sent C. O. D. or B. L. A. without remittance for part when order is sent, unless special arrangement has been made and understood in advance. No plants or perishable stock sent C. O. D.

**Prices:** In packets ½ oz., 1 oz., ¼ lb., ½ lb., pounds are quoted postpaid and safe, sound, satisfactory quick delivery guaranteed. Prices on grass, clover forage crops and other seed in large quantity are subject to being unsold and our confirmation on receipt of order. Market gardeners, truckers and large wholesale buyers should write for latest wholesale price list on vegetable and other seed needed.

**Our Prices** include more value, better quality, better service, more accurate service, better satisfaction. In short, more for your money than you have ever had before. For one dollar you may select \$1.25 of seed in packages ½ oz. and ozs., or for two dollars to the amount of \$2.50, or for every dollar's worth in packets, ½ oz., oz., 25c worth extra may be selected in the same size packages. For \$5.00, \$6.50 worth in packets ½ oz. and oz. This discount does not apply to ¼ lb., ½ lb., and pound packages of a variety.

**To Insure You Against Crop Failure—**

We employ every possible means of saving our seed carefully, and free from any mixture. They are carefully cured, cleaned and graded. They are stored under ideal conditions for preserving their vitality or germinating power at the highest point. In filling your order they are handled again with the utmost care and every precaution taken to be sure, when they leave our warehouses, the seed you have ordered will reach you in a condition that will be 100 per cent. satisfactory. We accept your order with the complete understanding that if, on delivery of the seed into your possession, they do not prove to be satisfactory that you are to at once notify us and we will advise you immediately how to return them. We cannot afford to send out anything but the best seed, and you cannot afford to plant any except the best. The W. H. Mixson Seed Co. cannot, though, give any warranty, either expressed or implied, as to description, quality or productiveness or any other matter, of seeds, plants and bulbs they send out, and will not, in any way, be responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, they are at once to be returned and any money that may have been paid for them will be refunded.

Crops are dependent for success or failure on so many things besides the seed that it is impossible to give any warranty or guarantee. This does not mean that we lack confidence in the seed we sell, but we have no control over the seed after they leave our possession, specially so as to methods of planting, cultivating and fertilizing, all of which may bring about success or failure of any crop. Therefore, it is impossible for us to accept the responsibility of giving any warranty or guarantee.

W. H. MIXSON SEED CO.

**Food Administration License G-31029.**

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.





**Our Improved American Rutabaga** is one of the surest and most profitable fall crops in this section; the above picture shows a portion of our crop. We started selling in September when they were quite small. This land was in our New Early Rose Irish Potato in the spring. They made the best crop on the place but on account of dry weather at the wrong time we only got 40 bbls. an acre while in 1918 on same land we dug 75 bbls. Most of the Rutabaga Seed is planted in July but planting continues into August. We had a hard time getting a stand last fall on account of the "ground puppy". We planted parts of the field three times and you will see on the right hand side we got nothing at all. This is the worst pest gardeners in this section have to contend with in the fall. Nothing has been found that can be

depended on to control them. We would like to learn of a way to kill them. If you know of anything tell us about it and we will pass it on to others. When the Rutabaga crop is off this piece of land it will be put in Irish Potatoes again. From where you see the grass growing, on up to the road and house we sowed peas to be turned under for fertilizer. Of course this is a valuable hay crop but it is just as valuable as a fertilizer crop. When peas are turned under we will put on a heavy application of lime and before planting Potatoes drill in at least 2,000 pounds of high grade commercial fertilizer with a large per cent of acid phosphate. It looks at this time as if our summer and fall crops this year are going to pay better than the spring crops did.

## Here Are Six Varieties---Forage and Food Crops---They Are Extra Good Ones.

**Georgia Brown Top Millet.** Is a wonderful new forage crop and is especially adapted to low, rich land. In some places where it has been grown it has created a sensation by its large yield of hay and seed. One crop of an acre yielded 1,500 lbs. of seed. It will make two crops of sweet, tender hay. One seed will produce as high as 100 stems; is also good for grazing. May be sown from April to July. If the weather is unfavorable in the Spring and it begins to head when not over a foot high, it should be cut at once; it will then stool out and make a better crop. 5 lbs. of seed is sown on an acre. Do not fail to try this. Pkt. 10c, 1 lb. 30c, 3 lbs. 75c, postpaid.

**Tillman, or Early Brown Pea.** This is very prolific and the earliest of all peas for table use and forage. It has a fine, rich flavor and you will miss a treat if a supply is not ready for your table this Spring. Pkt. 10c, 1 lb. 25c, 2 lbs. 45c, postpaid. Ask for quantity prices.

**The Great Wilt-Resistant, Sure Crop Field Peas,** the two field peas that excel all others for main crop, to be cut for hay or planted in corn middle. BRABHAM and IRON. They may be planted any time up to July and will give the best of results, because they make a great growth of vine and a big crop of peas. One of the MOST IMPORTANT values is their wilt-resistance—in fact, they are wilt-proof. They do not "die back" and are the only peas that will grow on wilt-infested land. Other peas carry the wilt disease and put it in land that has never had it before, then when cotton and some other crops are planted on that land the cotton will also wilt and "die back." These two varieties on this account are the only safe ones to plant. Pkt. 10c, 1 lb. 20c, 3 lbs. 45c. Ask for price in larger lots.

**Filipino Pea.** Is the best of all white table peas. It is 100 per cent. better than any of the others in quality. Sugar Crowder and Large 2 Crop Black Eye are not half so good. It has a rich, meaty flavor that makes it your favorite the first time you try it and you never get tired of it. This pea was introduced into Georgia several years ago and has won unusual popularity for table use.

It may be used for green snaps, or just as the pod begins to yellow it has its most delicious flavor when shelled and cooked. Then as dry peas they are fine all winter. They have always sold for more than other white peas, often bringing twice as much. We advise every one to plant this pea. It is sure to please you. Pkt. 10c, ½ lb. 15c, 1 lb. 25c, 3 lbs. 60c, postpaid.

**Bush or Bunch Velvet Bean.** This is the newest and in some ways the best Velvet Bean variety. It does not run. Makes a heavy rank bushy growth, two or three feet high and bears an immense quantity of beans. It may be planted in between corn at same time corn is planted and will not interfere in any way with the growth of the corn. It may also be planted later, in June, or when corn is "laid by." For a full crop it should be planted early. It may also be planted in drills and cut for hay. For those who have objected to the rank growth of the running varieties, covering their corn, or have had any trouble getting other varieties picked, this is the bean that will please in every way. At least a trial crop of this variety should be planted on every farm in the South in 1920. The supply of seed is at present limited. The seed is round and colored the same as "90 Day" and original Fla. Pkt. 10c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.50, not prepaid. Write for price in quantity.

**Our Honey Syrup Sorghum** makes the finest class of syrup that we have ever tasted, except good genuine blue ribbon cane syrup properly made. It is easy to make syrup from this sorghum that will be worth twice as much to you as the different kinds of canned syrups sold in the stores. It makes a tremendous stalk, with a large seed head, the stalk is easy to crush and a small two-roller mill gets more juice out of it than from the ordinary sorghums used for syrup; then it makes up into a better quality of syrup and comes the nearest to being as good as "ribbon cane" syrup. This is the sorghum for you to plant for forage, too; a hog can take a full-grown stalk and chew it up like a cane mill. It makes the highest grade ensilage, and it's a never-fail, sure cropper. Pkt. 10c, 1 lb. 25c, 3 lbs. 60c, postpaid. 15 lbs. ...., not prepaid.



# Sure Death to

**BOLL WEEVILS  
POTATO BUGS  
TOBACCO HORN WORMS  
AND ALL OTHER INSECTS**

**PROTECT YOUR CROPS—SAVE THEM FROM THESE DEADLY ENEMIES**

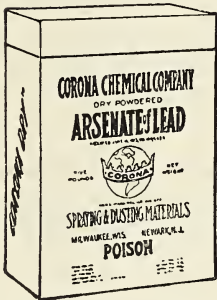
We can supply you with the best grade of material in any quantity, large or small, also the guns or machines to apply it quickly, the right way, at the lowest cost.

**HIGH-GRADE GUARANTEED CALCIUM ARSENATE FOR BOLL WEEVIL**

**The Boll Weevil** can be controlled under certain conditions by the use of **CALCIUM ARSENATE**. The U. S. Dept. of Agriculture has been working on this problem for a number of years. Definite knowledge of the right way to do this may be obtained now from Prof. B. R. Code, Delta Laboratory, Tallulah, La., and from your State Department of Entomology. We will also send **FREE** on request an illustrated booklet of 95 pages telling how to control the weevil by the use of **CALCIUM ARSENATE** and other

methods. Address your request to our Cotton Seed Department. The important matter for you to consider is to get the **right quality of CALCIUM ARSENATE** and to place your order without delay. We have bought a quantity of Guaranteed **CALCIUM ARSENATE** and will quote you promptly a price on any amount you may wish to buy. We can also supply the best machines for applying the powders to your cotton at the lowest cost. **If you intend to protect your crop write to us at once.**

**HIGH-GRADE, GUARANTEED ARSENITE OF LEAD—DRY POWDER**  
**No Spraying—No Water—Easy to Apply**



"Corona Dry" is a chemically pure powdered arsenate of lead. It is much easier to apply than other methods of insect prevention. Blown over the plants; each puff will cover a hundred leaves. No sloppy mixtures to contend with.

"Corona Dry" is exceedingly economical. No expensive apparatus is required and a little goes a long way. A spare hour will care for the average home garden. Get a package of "Corona Dry" today and be assured of garden success this year.

We unhesitatingly recommend "Corona Dry" as being the best means of ridding trees and plants of all leaf-eating insects, such as codling moth, potato beetle, cabbage worms, etc. Its superiority as a successful dry powdered arsenate of lead is unquestioned, and for all uses it is far superior in all points to any past arsenate of lead upon the market. It mixes easily, less freight to pay, economical and always the same. One

pound of "Corona Dry" will do the work of three pounds of paste, and do it better. Cannot be mailed.

1/2 pound size .....	\$0.35
1 pound size .....	.70
5 pound size .....	3.00
10 pound size .....	5.00
25 pound size .....	
50 pound size .....	
100 pound size .....	
200 pound size .....	

**Ask for Price.**

**THE CORONA DRY DUSTER.** Mechanically perfect, emits powders of right consistency from any position and in any direction, downward, upward, or horizontally. No other like it. Will last a lifetime. No leaf inaccessible. Shipping weight 3 pounds. **Price, not prepaid, \$2.50.** **CORONA DRY** is of special value in killing potato bugs and tobacco horn worms, it is **SURE DEATH** to them and there is no danger of burning the plant by putting on too much. Don't let the bugs ruin your potato crop when it is so easy and cheap to protect the crop by using Corona Dry. Potato bugs are no worse in the South than in Maine or other Northern States where large crops of potatoes are grown and where they have to spray and dust the crop from the time it gets out of the ground until made.

**SPRINGFIELD POWDER GUNS FOR BOLL WEEVILS, \$17.25**

**Feeny Dust Gun** For applying Paris Green, Arsenate of Lead, or any dry powdered insecticide, use a Feeny. It puts the insecticide all over the plant without waste. By mail, postpaid, \$2.65; by express, \$2.50.



**AUTO-SPRAY No. 1. Compressed Air Sprayer.**

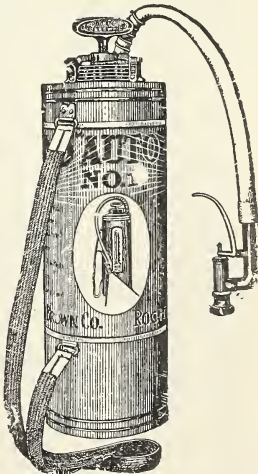
This sprayer can be used for spraying all kinds of trees, bushes, shrubs, vines, garden truck, and will handle all spray solutions, whitewash, cold water paints, arsenate of lead, Paris Green, Bordeaux mixture, etc. It is guaranteed in every particular and works automatically. The operator first fills the tank with solution, locks the pump into the reservoir by a convenient cam arrangement, pumps a few strokes of the plunger, hangs the sprayer on his back, and after that it is only necessary to direct the nozzle.

The Auto-Spray No. 1 is made of either brass or galvanized iron and furnished with Stop-Cock or Auto-Pop shut-off. The Auto-Pop shut-off is a very convenient arrangement that enables the operator to manipulate the nozzle with one hand. It also saves considerable solution.

The new "Auto-Spray" nozzle is fitted with a screen that absolutely prevents its clogging. No matter what competitors say, this nozzle is the only one on the market that absolutely will not clog.

**PRICES**

Auto-Spray No. 1-B, brass tank, with Auto-Pop .....	\$11.00
Auto-Spray No. 1-D, galvanized tank, with Auto-Pop .....	7.50

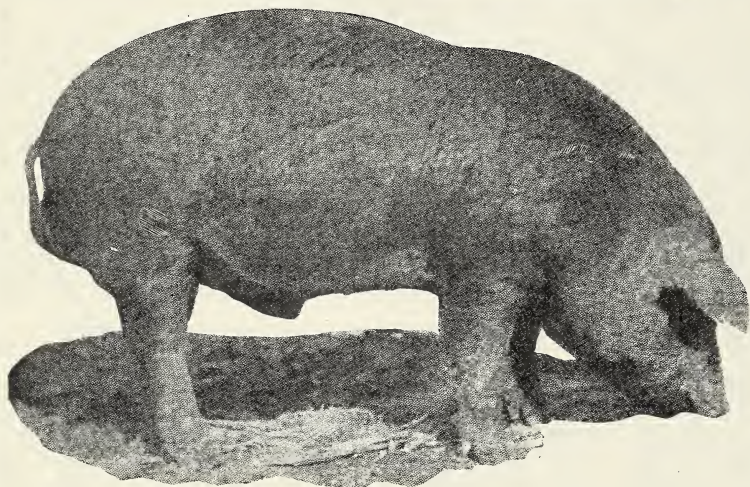






# \$50,000 Refused for a Famous Prize Hog

How Would You Like to Sell a Hog for That Amount?  
Enough to Buy a Big First Class Farm.



**VICTORY 131297.** Farrowed March 10, 1918.  
Owned by Springs Field Farm. A son of the \$50,000 Boar—  
**JOES ORION KING.**

Victory is the son of "Scissors", and in accordance with the customs of high class hog society, Victory and our Kimballs Bessie May were introduced on ————. It is anticipated that the result of this introduction will be very evident in the spring of 1920. We have every reason to believe, judging from past records of these two blood lines, that we will have for sale in the summer some Duroc pigs of fine quality and as sure of developing into prize winners as any Durocs that may be bought.

Fifty thousand dollars was offered for the great **DUROC-JERSEY** Boar, "**JOES ORION KING**", popularly known as "**SCISSORS**", and owned by Col. Tom James of Mississippi.

This big Duroc is known throughout the Duroc breeding world. There are instances of a single pig from him bringing more than \$2500.00.

That it pays to have only the very best stock we are positively convinced. Ever since we have been farming at Ferndale we have had a good bunch of hogs there and they were not runts either, however they were not the best quality of stock though they made money for us.

We have been watching the results on farms where first class registered stock is produced for market and have plainly seen that the highest grade stock is best, so we sold out all of the original stock to the Charleston Stock Yards and have bought from the Spring Fields Farm some of the very best bred sows they had.

It is hard to say which of the sows is the best, the blood lines are all of the highest class, but we are expecting extraordinary results from "Kimballs Bessie May", No. 255944, because she is bred to "Victory", No. 131297, and Victory is a son of "Scissors", the \$50,000 boar. From this mating there should be some prize winning stock of the finest quality.

Another of our sows is "Gonda the 3d", No. 227332. She is out of the best Duroc stock in the United States and is bred to "IMPERATORS ORION", No. 81841, a wonderful big type boar, farrowed Sept. 4th, 1915, out of **PEERLESS** Zelna, No. 180314, by **Imperator**, No. 46291. Spring Fields

Farm paid \$1500 to Peacock & Hodge for **IMPERATORS ORION**, several times a successful prize winner, and the pigs out of Gonda 3d. by him should turn out to be stock of the best possible quality. Equal in every way to those from Bessie May.

Another great boar of this breed "**ORION CHERRY KING, JR.**", was sold in November, 1919, by Peacock & Hodge to the Arkansas Experiment station for \$16,500.

You will see that the stock we have is out of the record breaking herds of the United States.

The figures mentioned are big and do not quite represent the average, but it shows what can be done, the field is open and every one has a chance to grow a prize winner when you start with the **RIGHT** blood lines.

It is cheaper in the end to produce the best. You have no chance at all to produce a prize winner when you grow scrub or ordinary stock. You get more profit and more pleasure when you are growing the best.

**Our prices will be reasonable and it will pay you to correspond with us about the purchase of one of these anticipated pigs.**





## PROTECT YOURSELF FROM FAILURE—INSURE YOUR CROPS BY PLANTING MIXSON'S HIGH-GRADE SEED

"One trial will convince anyone that Mixson's High-Grade Seed are just the kind they have always wanted."



JERUSALEM ARTICHOKE

## Artichokes

**JERUSALEM.** This is a vegetable which is very easy to grow and is very popular with a great many people, on account of its several valuable uses. First, it may be cooked and creamed for table use the same as Asparagus and Irish Potatoes. This is a cheap and appetizing food. Then Artichoke pickles are in quality second to none. We know of several truck farmers who grow Artichokes and pickle them every year, selling them at fancy prices. Then one of the most important uses for this heavy yielding vegetable is for hog food; the yield runs to 500 bushels an acre, the hogs are very fond of Artichokes; it is a healthy food—helps fatten them and while feeding on Artichokes hogs have not been known to have cholera or anything like it. We have seen a peck taken from a single hill or from one plant. It will grow better on thin sandy soil than potatoes; is adapted to any land that will grow peanuts, corn, sweet or Irish Potatoes. It will pay any one to get a start for home use or hog feed by getting a pound, a peck, a bushel or more, depending on land you have to plant. Plant in early Spring in 4 foot rows like Irish Potatoes, dropping seed every 2 feet, cultivate clean. Pound 25c; 3 lb. 70c, postpaid; peck 75c; bushel \$2.50, not prepaid. Write for price in larger quantity. Plant 11 pecks per acre.

## BROCCOLI

Very much like Cauliflower, easier to grow and sure to head. If you like cabbage, you will like Broccoli better. White and Purple Cape. Pkt. 5c; ½ oz. 50c; 1 oz. 75c.

## BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Extra fine vegetable, does well everywhere in South. Very hardy, quality and flavor improved by frost. The sprouts are like miniature cabbages about one inch in diameter, growing on upright stalk. Cultivate same as cabbage. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; oz. 35c.

"I am sending money order for \$1.00 worth of seed and plants. The first cabbage seed received and am well pleased."

MISS BESSIE HARRIS, Nausemond Co., Va., March 7, 1919.

"Enclosed find money order and list of seed. I am for Mixson's Seed, as all I have bought have pleased me."

THEODORE ARMSTRONG, Green County, N. C., May 5, 1919.

"Please forward the enclosed order as soon as possible. I liked the seed I got from you last year; they were all o. k., and expect the same good results this year."

MRS. W. W. WEEKS, Chowan Co., N. C., March 4, 1919.

## Asparagus

**Culture of Seeds.**—Soak the seed from 24 to 30 hours in warm water. Sow one to two inches in drills about two feet apart. They should have frequent cultivation to keep the weeds down. You can thin them to about two inches when they are up good and transplant them at either one or two years in spring or fall.

**PALMETTO.** A very early, prolific variety. Produces a large, thick, tender stalk. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼-lb. 20c; 1 lb. 65c, prepaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, lb. 55c; 5-lb. lots at 50c.

**GIANT ARGUMENTILE.** Selected from imported French stock. Is grown extensively around Charleston and claimed by many to be superior to all others in earliness, productiveness and flavor. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼-lb. 25c; 1 lb. 85c, postpaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, lb. 75c; 5-lb. lots at 70c per lb.

## ASPARAGUS ROOTS

**Culture.**—Dig or plow out a trench 15 to 18 inches deep, put in plenty of well-rotted manure, covering it with a few inches of soil, then set the roots 1½ to 2 feet apart and cover with 4 inches of soil. In the fall, cut off the top growth, put it on manure pile or in stable to rot, it contains potash, plow or throw down the earth and give a good application of stable manure. Early in the spring fork this in and apply ground bone or kainit, and as the asparagus begins to grow, earth up to blanch the stalks as they grow. Do not continue cutting too long, as this exhausts the plants.

**For Field Culture** the rows may be from 4 to 6 feet apart and the roots set farther apart in the rows. A subsoil plow should be used to break the soil as deeply as possible.

**PALMETTO.** Two year old roots. The most popular for this section. 100, \$1.50 by mail, postpaid. By express, 100, 75c. Ask for prices on larger quantities.

**CRESS**—Water. Pkt. 10c; oz. 40c.

**CRESS**—Upland, Curled or Pepper Grass. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c.



PALMETTO ASPARAGUS ROOTS

**CHERVIL.** Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c.

**CORN SALAD OR FETTUCCIS.** Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c.





## Mixson's High-Grade Beans

**Culture.**—In the upper part of Carolina and Georgia bush beans should be planted from March to September. Plant a row or more in garden once a month so that fresh beans will always be coming in. From Charleston South plantings during June, July and August are not advised, but may be planted earlier in Spring and later in Fall. Plantings may be made around Charleston up to Sept. 20th. Plant in drills about 2 feet apart, one bean every 4 inches, cover 2 inches deep. Have soil well prepared, a heavy application of 16 per cent. acid phosphate is advised and potash too in hardwood ashes or any form obtainable. The soil should be warm and moist when seed is put in. When watering beans do not keep the ground soaking wet as this often rots the seed. When the bloom begins to form draw the earth to the plant. Keep the soil loose by frequent working, but do not work when ground is wet or when in bloom. Pick beans as fast as they are ready to eat; this increases the yield. Plant 1 pt. to 100 feet of row,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  bu. per acre. Bu., 60 lbs.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu., 15 lbs.; 1 qt.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  lbs.

**IMPROVED RED VALENTINE.** An early round-podded variety. A general favorite among truckers on account of the number of good qualities it combines. Ready to pick in seven weeks after planting. Packet 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$10.80, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

**HOPKIN'S RED VALENTINE.** A strain of Red Valentine planted extensively in some sections and in private gardens. Packet 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$10.80, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

**BLACK VALENTINE.** The earliest and most productive of all green-podder varieties, satisfactory to market-gardener and private gardener alike. Very hardy, standing more cold than any other variety. Packet, 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$11.00, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

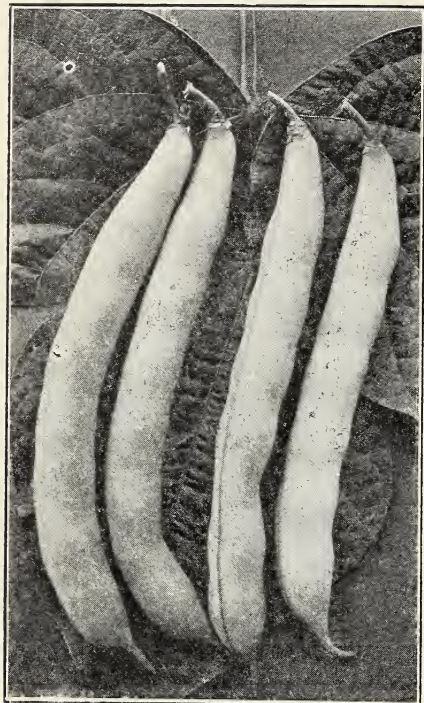
**EXTRA EARLY REFUGEE.** An old favorite, pods straight and stringless. Adapted to all uses—table, shipping and canning. Packet 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$11.00, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

**LATE REFUGEE or 1000-to-1.** Specially recommended for summer and late planting. Most productive of all Beans with very long bearing period. Stands hot suns better than any other variety, and the heavy bush also protects the fruit from frost. Packet 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$10.80, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

**LONGFELLOW.** A prolific variety, round pods of handsome appearance; early and hardy. Packet 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$10.80, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

**GIANT STRINGLESS GREEN POD.** Most popular bean among local gardeners. This is a distinct new cross-bred variety possessing all the merits of the old favorite Round pod Valentine, but is more prolific; the pods are large, being five to six inches in length, and are absolutely stringless, unusually crisp, round, full, and fleshy; qualities which highly recommend it for home and market gardens. Packet 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$10.80, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

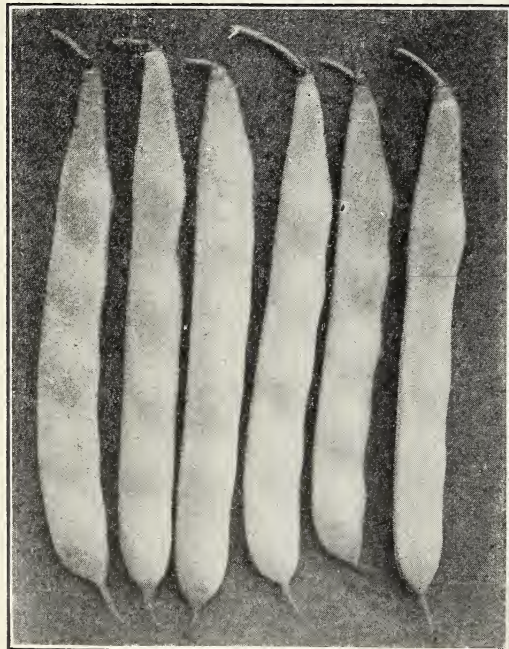
**FULL MEASURE.** This magnificent round-podded bush bean bears long, round green pods, always solid, stringless and exceedingly prolific. The pods are of an attractive green color,



FULL MEASURE BEANS

5 inches long, firm and tender. The plant is of a handsome, stiffly erect growth, with dark foliage, very prolific and practically blight-proof. It is thoroughly bred stringless variety of excellent quality, always yielding very large crops of handsome green pods remaining fit for use many days after maturity. Becoming in great demand on account of its handsome appearance and luscious quality, which hold their customers. Good for both home or market gardeners' use. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.75, 60 lbs. \$10.80, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

## YELLOW PODDED OR WAX BEANS



CURRIE'S RUSTLESS BLACK WAX

**CURRIE'S RUSTLESS BLACK WAX.** A black seeded sort of extreme earliness and great productiveness. Pods of moderate size, flat in shape, but of fine

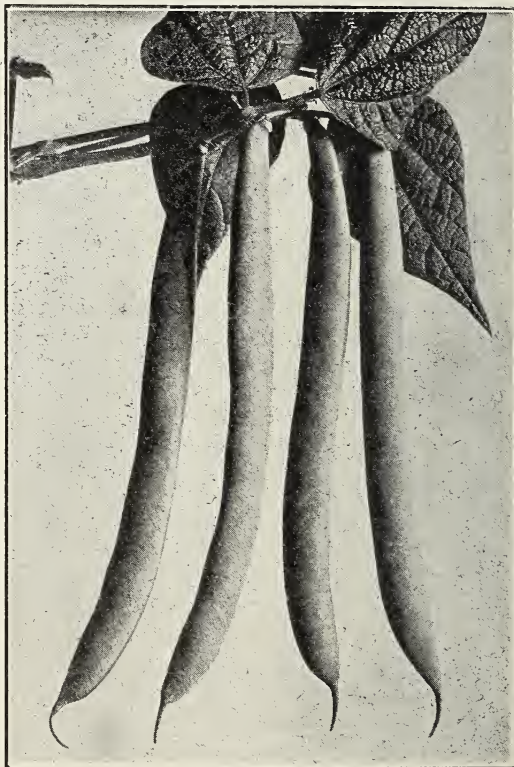
### WARWELL'S KIDNEY WAX.

Most popular bean in the South for either market or home use, extra early, maturing in five to six weeks with favorable weather. A strong, vigorous grower, producing a heavy crop of long, showy pods of a beautiful waxy appearance, and is remarkably free from "rust." It is tender and of fine flavor. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.00, 60 lbs. \$11.00, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

### PENCIL POD PROLIFIC BLACK

**WAX.** A strong growing bush sort, about 15 inches in height, with heavy and abundant foliage. The pods are of a light golden yellow color, almost round, very thick and meaty and deeply ridged or saddlebacked; quite stringless and of a fine flavor. It fol-

lows the Prolific Black Wax in earliness and is highly productive. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.00, 60 lbs. \$11.00, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.



BLACK VALENTINE BEANS

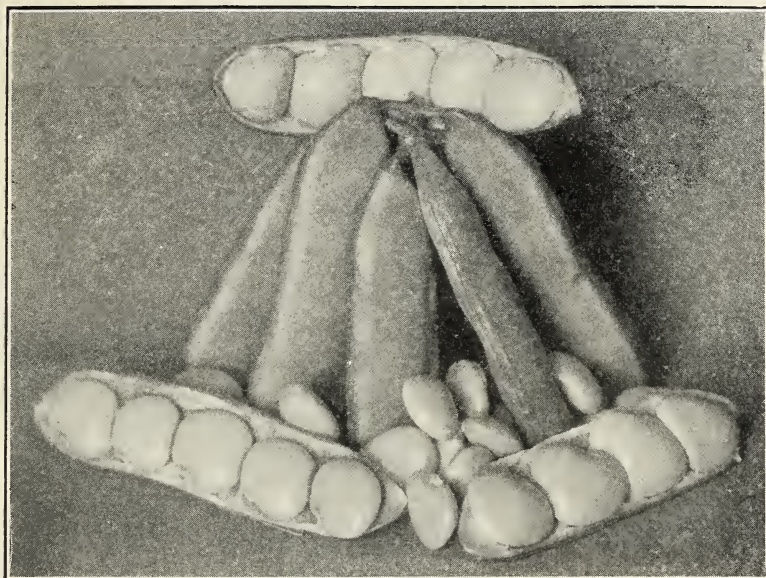
color of a light golden yellow. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.00, 60 lbs. \$11.00, 100 lbs. \$18.00, not prepaid.

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.





# Mixson's High-Grade Lima or Butter Beans



HENDERSON BUSH LIMA BEAN

## CAROLINA SIEVA—SMALL WHITE

LIMA is the running or pole variety. It is hary, very prolific, keeps bearing until killed by hard frost; seldom troubled by insects or disease. Our special Carolina stock (obtainable from no other source) is superior in every way; is naturally better adapted to the entire South than the seed grown in Western arid regions by the use of irrigation. For the greatest yield of what we consider the finest beans in the world, plant this selection. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.00, 60 lbs. \$12.00, not prepaid.

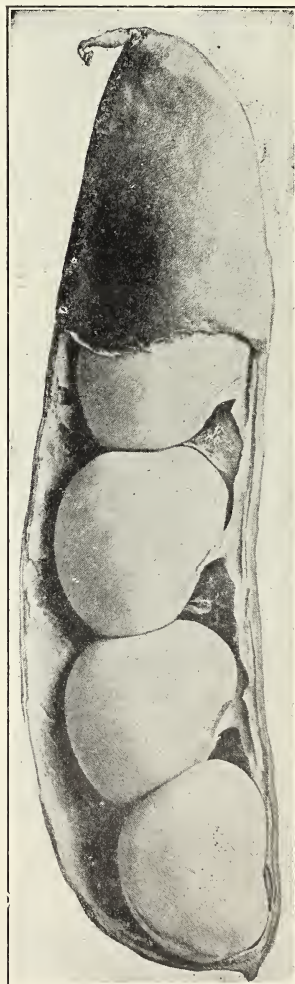
**HENDERSON BUSH LIMA** is the bush form of the above, gives you the first beans; they are usually ready to eat in 60 days. That you will get better results from Mixson's Special South Carolina stock than from any other seed of this variety is absolutely assured. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$2.50, 60 lbs. \$10.80, not prepaid.

**FORD HOOK BUSH LIMA.** We have found to be the best large thick seeded potato bush lima for the South. It produces its first crop quickly and continues to bear. The bush is large, erect and well branched, very prolific and the beans are of good quality. This is a very popular bean in Florida and other truck growing sections for growing to ship North. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.75, 60 lbs. \$14.00, not prepaid.

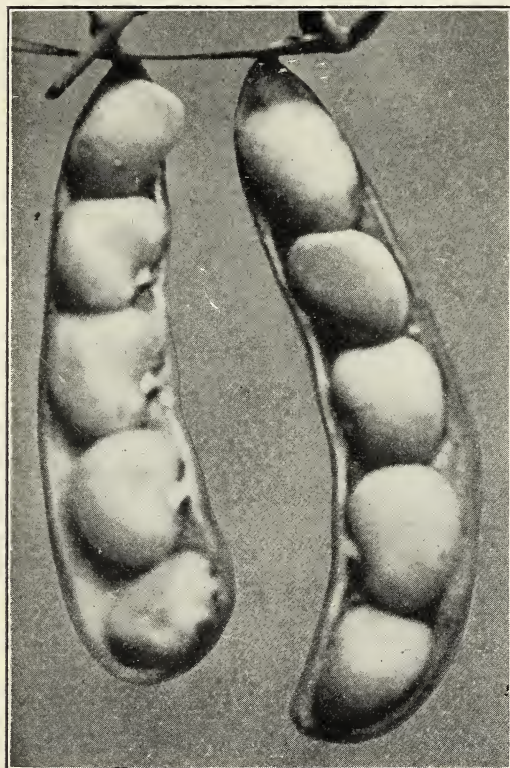
**BURPEE IMPROVED BUSH LIMA.** This is a fine selection of Lima, very prolific; the pods are large and filled with large beans of excellent quality. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, lb. 45c, 2 lbs. 80c, postpaid.

**LARGE WHITE OR KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA.** Produces a big crop of very large fine flavored beans. Strong, vigorous, healthy plants. The greatest producer and most highly flavored of the large lima type. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 45c, 2 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.50, 60 lbs. \$13.25, not prepaid.

Carolina  
Sieva  
Small  
White  
Lima



FORD HOOK BUSH BEAN



SIEVA POLE LIMA BEAN





## Mixson's High-Grade Bush and Pole Beans

**MIXSON'S STRINGLESS CORNFIELD BEAN.** An early maturing, green podded, white seeded pole and cornfield bean, desirable for snaps and unsurpassed in its class as green shell beans. The vines are vigorous and very productive. The pods are round, very long, often eight to nine inches, irregular in shape and quite stringless. The beans when shelled green are large, very tender and white, a very desirable feature when comparison is made with the colored beans of other varieties of this class. Seed medium long, oval or well rounded, solid white. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30c, 1 lb. 50c, 2 lbs. \$1.00, postpaid.

**KENTUCKY WONDER, OR OLD HOMESTEAD.** It is almost needless to say anything about this great pole bean, for who has not grown it? Popular everywhere in the South for years because of its wonderful all-summer production of splendid beans. The yield is great, the quality is good, and no bean is more sure of making a crop. It bears in 65 days from planting; should be kept picked so that it will continue bearing until frost. The beans are 6 to 12 inches long, tender and rich. It should be planted in every garden, and be sure to get the genuine Kentucky Wonder and not any of the tough substitutes. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.25, 60 lbs. \$11.00, not postpaid.

**MCCASLAN POLE BEAN.** This is a white prolific pole bean of the finest quality. It originated in Georgia and because of its many splendid qualities, is said to be superior to the famous Kentucky Wonder. There is a great demand for this bean and we have never heard of a planter who was not more than pleased with results. Pods are large, deep green and stringless. Filled completely and are of the very finest quality. Plant it and work it right, give it good rich earth and keep the beans picked—it will give you more beans than you can use until frost and you can save a large quantity dry for winter use. It is also good to can green. This is certainly a bean you should plant. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 50c, 2 lbs. 90c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$4.00, 60 lbs. \$16.00, not prepaid.

**GEORGIA CORNFIELD BEAN.** This is a genuine Cornfield bean that will grow and yield a big crop in any cornfield in the South. We have tried this bean out for several years and now that we have found it satisfactory in every way, are this year offering it to our customers for the first time and recommend it to you without reserve. It grows a big vine and this is filled with a great crop of tender green round pod beans that you will enjoy eating and can sell any surplus at the best market price. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$4.35, 60 lbs. \$17.00, not postpaid.

**SOUTHERN WHITE CREASEBACK.** This is the Fat Horse bean, an old time variety for corn field or garden. Very hardy; grown more for dry shelled beans than for snaps. Early and prolific. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.75, 60 lbs. \$14.00, not prepaid.

**KENTUCKY WONDER WAX.** Many people like wax or yellow podded beans better than green pods, and this is a bean that will please, for it is rich, butter yellow, long and stringless, thick, well-filled and tender. A bean of very fine quality. The vine is a vigorous grower, and bears an enormous crop. Pkt. 10c, 2 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 90c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$4.40, 60 lbs. \$17.00, not postpaid.

### BUSH BEANS

**DAVIS WAX.** Is the standard white seeded wax bean for shipping, especially popular in Florida because it stands long distance shipments and sells at best market prices. It is a great yielder and when not used green the dry white beans are in good demand. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 45c, 2 lbs. 80c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.25, 60 lbs. \$12.00, not prepaid.

**BURPEE STRINGLESS GREEN POD.** This is the Bean for tender, stringless, meaty, delightful quality and large yield. Every one must have at least a row of this splendid bean in their garden. If you get stock of this bean properly selected, as you will find ours, there is nothing more that you could desire in quality, if you like tender green beans cooked with a good piece of country ham. Our seed of this great bean ranks 100 per cent. in quality. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.00, 60 lbs. \$11.75, not prepaid.

**WHITE MEXICAN OR PROLIFIC TREE BEAN.** Is what you should plant that you may have a big supply of White Beans for Boston Baked or boiled with ham or bacon. This bean is very prolific, very hardy, very easy to produce a big crop, which can be used at home or sold at the store dry. White Beans are high and profitable to grow these days and this is a safe and good variety to plant. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.25, not prepaid.

**CUT SHORT,** or a very hardy Cornfield Bean. Pkt. 10c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 65c; 15 lbs. \$3.25.



KENTUCKY WONDER.





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# Seed are Good



**ECLIPSE** is our leading market, garden and trucker's beet. Our trucker customers buy large quantities because it is an all season quick selling selection. Well shaped, free from stringy roots, small top, fast grower; retains its blood red color after being cooked. Is extra good shipper. We have a well selected pure strain that always tops the market when shipped long distance or at home. This is a safe beet to plant. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**ECLIPSE**

**GIANT MANGEL**

## CROSBY'S IMPROVED EGYPTIAN BEET.

Good size, few small tops, very small tap root, fine quality, and, above all, quick growth. The shape is very desirable, not quite as flat as the ordinary Egyptian, nor as round as the Eclipse. Takes on its turnip shape and looks well, even in the early stages of its growth, on which account it is preferred for forcing to the Globe and Half-Long varieties. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, 1 lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**BEET SEED** of the best quality is imported from France, but all imported beet seed from France is not of equal quality. We have taken particular care and gone to extra expense in order to investigate and be sure which grower could be relied upon to always supply high grade stock—the kind that our trucker customers, who buy large quantities, must have. We certainly located the right grower. This is proven by the satisfaction of home gardens and profits of truckers who plant this seed, and the great increase in the demand for our special stock.

Conditions in France have improved, the trouble and expense of importing has decreased slightly and we are glad that it is possible to reduce the price.

The quality of this seed is the first consideration and you are sure to be pleased.

More beets should be eaten, more should be grown at home. It is an easy crop to grow and beets are a healthy food. In the process of digestion the body gets from beets and other root crops a large percentage of vegetable salts and sugar, which is necessary for our best health. Beets and other root crops are health producers.

Plant more beets and eat more—they are a cheap food, too.

**CULTURE.** Sow in rows 12 inches apart for home cultivation; cover seed one inch and firm soil, thin plants 3 inches in row; those pulled up may be transplanted or used as salad greens. Have the soil good and rich. Sow 6 lbs. per acre or 1 oz. to 50 feet of row. They will be ready in 45 to 70 days.

**Lentz** is very popular in Florida, especially where it is largely grown for shipping. Is ready in 45 days usually. Not so much top, deep dark red color, sweet and tender. A first quality extra early shipping or home garden beet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**HALF-LONG.** One of the best long keeping good quality selection; rich dark red; does not become woody; keeps crisp and tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**LONG SMOOTH BLOOD.** Sometimes called dry weather beet. Its long well-shaped root goes deep into soil and gets the only moisture in dry season. Fine old time favorite dark red, good quality beet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

## Improved White French Sugar Beet.

In some respects this is a better stock food than Giant Mangel, because it is sugary. It makes a yield almost as large and its sweet, rich flesh is both fattening and a big milk producer. These root foods keep the stock in fine health and are among the cheapest to produce. Culture same as Mangel. Price, pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 70c, postpaid.

**YOU CAN MAKE A FINE TABLE SYRUP BY SLICING AND BOILING SUGAR BEETS.**

## Giant Red Mangel Stock Beet.

The favorite heavy producer for stock feed. Often grows 2 feet long and ½ foot through; must be planted on rich land and will make as high as 40 tons at cost of \$6 to \$10 for seed and planting. Makes cheap high quality cow feed. Sow 6 lbs. to acre in 3 foot rows, cover seed about 1½ inches and firm the ground. When 4 inches high thin to 8 inches apart in row. Every dairyman should have an acre of these. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 70c. They do extra well on low, rich land.

## Swiss Chard.

The Spanish and Asparagus Beet grown only for its leaves. Easily takes the place of spinach, and the big mid rib is cooked like asparagus. It is a rank fast grower. As fast as the tender leaves are clipped others grow. It is a wonderful vegetable, a necessity in every garden. This is planted by poultry raisers for their fowls because it makes such a quick rich growth, which is especially good for chickens. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 85c.

**EARLY BLOOD TURNIP (Improved).** An extra selected stock of Blood Turnip, having larger tops and roots than Detroit Dark Red and requiring a longer time to mature. The roots are dark red and nearly round. The flesh is deep red, zoned with lighter shade, sweet, crisp and tender. This is an excellent market and home garden sort for summer and autumn use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**DETROIT DARK RED.** Specially attractive and excellent quality. Globe shaped, tapering slightly; smooth, dark red, its appearance makes it a great seller. The most popular beet in some sections. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 35c, lb. \$1.10.

**EARLY BLOOD TURNIP BEET**

## BECKMANN'S CRIMSON GLOBE.

This is an improved globe-shaped beet noted for its perfect shape, smooth surface, and rich, crimson color. We recommend it highly for both market and home garden use. Makes very pretty pickles. The young plants make excellent salad. Price, postpaid, pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.



## Mixson's High-Grade Charleston Wakefield



### Our Seed of This World Famous Cabbage Is the BEST.

This is certainly proven by the fact that Mr. F. W. Towles, who many years ago discovered this cabbage as a sport in one of his fields, buys his Charleston Wakefield seed of us.

Mr. Towles knows what the best Charleston Wakefield should be. His profits prove it.

We take particular pride in producing and selling the seed of this famous cabbage which is recognized all over the world as the best EARLY POINTED HEAD CABBAGE. There are three reasons for this—the first is that it is named after our good home town, because it originated here and is in every way as reliable and famous as this historical and sound business city; and then our good friend and customer, Mr. F. W. Towles, recognized as the dean of Charleston County's famous farmers, is the man who many years ago discovered the original cabbage growing on his farm. He studied its development, recognized its distinct and unusual value, saved the seed, sent it to Long Island for reproduction, and thus gave to the world a new and distinct type of cabbage which has helped to make many truck farmers wealthy. At the time Mr. Towles discovered this new variety he was a member of the firm of Geraty and Towles. Mr. Geraty and Mr. Towles were then two of the most successful and largest vegetable growers in the South. Mr. Towles and his sons and Mr. Geraty's sons, who succeeded to his business, are today in the same high standing and we consider it one of the best of recommendations for not only our CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD seed, but our other varieties that these successful men are among our largest customers. Mr. Dan Towles has stated that fully 90 per cent. of the seed they plant is Mixson's. Mr. F. W. Towles alone purchasing \$1,951.00 dollars' worth of various kinds in one year. The third reason is, we are always careful about what we offer and recommend and are proud of the record won by our seed of this famous variety.

The success of these gentlemen and many more, among them being Messrs. Bitch, Carr, Gibson, Harrison, King, Rumph, Whaley, and hundreds of others whose names we would be proud to mention, but lack of space forbids, all of whom grow the best of crops from our seed, is PRACTICAL PROOF that you will find in our Charleston Wakefield stock all of the most valuable qualities. The very best stock in all the world is what we have done everything possible to make it.

Our 1919 crop has turned out a good healthy yield and we are glad to be able to reduce the price this year. You will find they are strong germinating and true to type.

**Mixson's Genuine CHARLESTON WAKEFIELD**  
Ranks first as the most reliable early  
Spring Cabbage.

It will bring you the first money and best profit

**THIS IS THE CABBAGE**

For

**EARLINESS and PROFIT**

For

**HOME, MARKET, or LONG DISTANCE SHIPPING.**

**Best Keeping, Quick Cooking, Delicate Flavor—  
Healthy, Vigorous Growing, Hardy, Cold Resisting.**

This is the CABBAGE to grow, and MIXSON'S HIGH-GRADE SEED IS THE SEED TO PLANT, because of its sureness in heading and regularity of growth.

Price of Seed: Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 45c, ¼ lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.00.

Fine Plants grown from this seed 60c a 100, postpaid. Not prepaid, 500, \$2.25; 1,000, \$4; 5,000 at \$3.50 per 1,000; 10,000 at \$3.25 per 1,000. See parcel post price list of plants on page 39.

For the past three years we have been growing an extra fine new selection of Wakefield that promises to be ahead of any selection now offered. We are planting part of our Ferndale crop in it this year and expect fine results. If it again equals its past record we will have a limited amount of seed to sell next year. Up to this time it has been a wonder. We will report final results next Fall.





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## Mixson's High-Grade Cabbage Seed

### THE SUPERIOR CABBAGE SEED FOR THE SOUTH

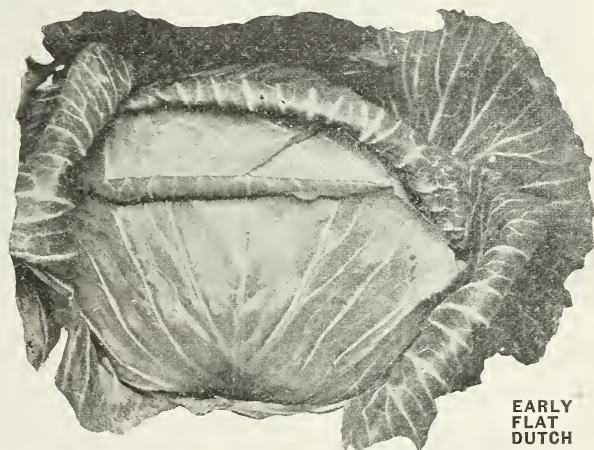
#### Cabbage Seed Is Our Greatest Specialty.

**The Record Proves That Mixson's Cabbage Seed Is The Best That Is Grown, Selected For the South. More Cabbage Seed is planted in Charleston County than any county in the South.. We sell 90 per cent of it. Why? Because the planters have learned that our seed is the best grown.**

#### THIRTY MILLION DOLLARS' WORTH OF CABBAGE

That is a pile of cabbage. Here are the facts about it. Our cabbage seed business has grown steadily from year to year. For several years our sales of cabbage seed have been very large; in fact, the largest in the South. This last year we made the most wonderful record in selling cabbage seed ever made by any firm in the South. We also sold more cabbage seed in the South than any grower or seed firm anywhere. This is the record of the seed we produced in 1917. Enough seed were sold to produce over thirty million dollars worth of cabbage. This seed would supply over half a million growers or gardeners and produce sufficient cabbage for 4,800,000 to eat and enjoy this superior quality cabbage. This wonderful increase in the use of Mixson's cabbage seed is because of their superior quality in every point. We have proven that they are the best and most profitable, the most reliable for the home garden, the market garden, the big truck farm and the plant grower. You will plant Mixson's cabbage seed if you wish to insure your crop and get the best results. In two days this fall (1919) we sold to truckers enough seed to plant twenty-five thousand acres of cabbage. These same men have bought our seed for five years.

This great sales record was due to one thing. The superior quality of Mixson's cabbage seed. It has taken us a number of years to build up to this place. Every year our sales have increased because every one to whom we sold bought again for the next crop. This increase has been a natural growth year by year, because at the start we determined to make our seed better than any other. The results for our customers have been so satisfactory that the reputation has gradually spread and the demand grown to the astounding proportion as stated above. We feel very proud of these re-



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sults, as it proves that we have done good work and were right in believing that Southern cabbage growers wanted a better grade of seed than they were getting. It has been truly said by some one who evidently knew, that "Quality is remembered long after the price is forgotten." You know, Mr. Cabbage Grower, that this is a fact. Now we have the ideal quality that you want and our prices are right. The combination is perfect. We are ready to receive your order and give you in return the winning triangle of quality, price and service. Let us hear from you.

**IF YOU WANT SPECIAL AND PRACTICAL INFORMATION ON CABBAGE GROWING, WRITE TO US.**



**LARGE LATE DRUMHEAD**

**MIXSON'S CHARLESTON EARLY FLAT DUTCH.** The best early flat cabbage for shipping or home market and is equally good for spring and fall crops. It makes a splendid lot of perfectly formed heads that pack and ship well. It makes a most attractive appearance when it reaches market, because through its vigor and vitality it seems to keep longer in a fresh condition. This selection of early flat dutch you will be sure to like. Price, pkt. 10c, 1/2 oz. 20c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. 90c, lb. \$3.00.

**MIXSON'S CHARLESTON LATE DRUMHEAD CABBAGE** is fine for late planting. This is a very hardy, vigorous selection well adapted to rough cropping methods and unfavorable conditions. It is a great, sure cropping cabbage, one that should be put in as part of every crop. Price, pkt. 10c, 1/2 oz. 20c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. 90c, lb. \$3.00.

**MIXSON'S GREAT TRIO COLLECTION**—30c worth of the best Cabbage Seed for 25c. This is the greatest value in cabbage seed you will have a chance to buy this year. To prove to everyone the superior quality of our cabbage seed, we make this special offer of a packet each, Charleston Wakefield, Early Flat Dutch, Late Drumhead. A good, big, 30c worth of the finest seed of the best varieties grown, for 25c, postpaid. This gives you a complete supply of cabbage. Early, medium, late. You can not afford to let this chance pass, to have the best cabbage in your garden this year.





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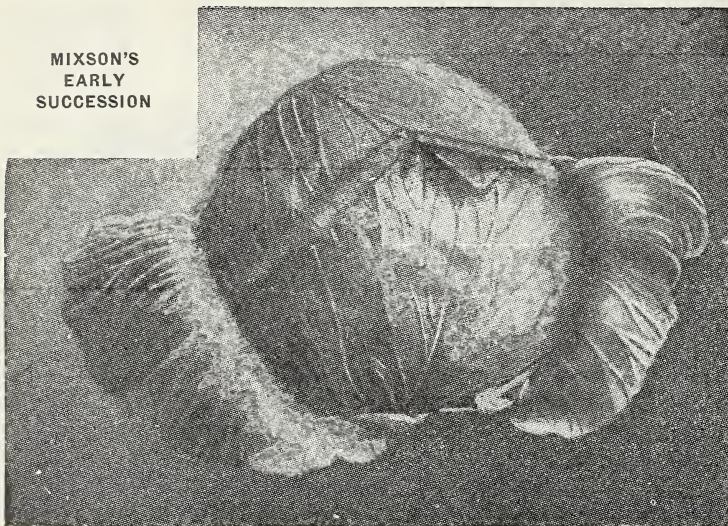
**Seed are Good**



## Mixson's High-Grade Cabbage

### Chinese, or Celery Cabbage

**MIXSON'S  
EARLY  
SUCCESSION**



This is a new **DISTINCT TYPE OF SUCCESSION**. It has proven fine for every purpose. It gives absolute satisfaction. Plant it for home garden or shipping.

**PLEASE REMEMBER THE DIFFERENCE.** This is Mixson's Superior Selection Early Succession Cabbage. Better in every way than the Old Type Succession, of which we have our usual high-grade stock, and is priced elsewhere in catalog. This is a great favorite with the successful truckers about Charleston and with many other customers over the South, who have bought it in quantity from a packet to over 100 lbs. As an Early Flat Dutch type, it is the leader. It is reliable. You can depend on it for the results. Next to our Charleston Wakefield it is our most popular selection. It makes more first-class saleable heads to the acre than anything we have seen. There can be no doubt about your being pleased with this cabbage. It matures right after Charleston Wakefield. Price, pkt.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 20c, 1 oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25, 1 lb. \$4.25.

**MIXSON'S SELECTED STOCK OF EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD.** This selection is the earliest heading cabbage in the world. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90c, 1 lb. \$3.00.

We can supply the following well-known varieties of Cabbage. Our stock is grown under the same conditions as the leading selections and may be depended on to produce the best possible results that may be obtained from these varieties. You will find our seed unexcelled.

All Head Early—Solid South—Sure Head—Florida Drumhead—Premium Drumhead—Danish Ball Head—All Season—Early Dwarf Flat Dutch—Late Flat Dutch—Autumn King—North Carolina Buncombe—Red Erfurt—Savoy—Mixson's Original Succession. All at pkt. 10c.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90c.

## CAULIFLOWER.

**Culture**—Does best in rich well-tilled soil; will do well in a well manured soil. Sow in seed bed at same time as cabbage. Transplant when 3 or 4 inches high; give plenty of water in dry weather. Keep wet, hoe thoroughly and often. In Florida and along the Gulf sow seed in September, October and November.



**MIXSON'S SURE CROP.**

In South Carolina and upper States sow January and February.

**EARLY SNOWBALL.** Its dwarf habit and short outside leaves allow it to be planted very close together. An extremely early variety producing magnificent white heads of the finest quality and for the market gardeners' use it is one of the most profitable. Excellent for family use. Pkt. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.40, oz. \$2.50.

**EXTRA EARLY DWARF ERFURT.** This Cauliflower is an extra early sort, of dwarf habit, and desirable for forcing or planting in the open ground. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c.

**SURE CROP CAULIFLOWER.** This is a distinct type of Cauliflower that is hardier and easier to grow in the South under average conditions, than any other selection. Cauliflower is a splendid vegetable, but many have not been successful with it because of its delicate nature, germination of seed is also often weak. This selection is the most vigorous in every respect that we have found in our many experiments. We are offering it this year for the first time and are pleased that we can strongly recommend it. If you have been unsuccessful with Cauliflower before, you need not hesitate, because this has proven successful many times where other selections have not. It will stand hot weather better and is more sure of making a crop under all conditions. Plant in very rich soil, keep the ground thoroughly worked and give it plenty of water. You will be well pleased with the result. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c, 1 oz. 75c.

A new vegetable which should be in every garden and which is one of the most profitable crops to grow for the market. Introduced in this country not very long ago, already hundreds of carloads of it have been grown in Florida, California and other States and shipped to Eastern markets. It is offered now in the markets of all large cities and has proven a source of great profit for the grower, yielding three times as much as any other early Cabbage and selling at 10c to 15c per pound when other Cabbage brings only \$12.00 to \$15.00 per ton. Yields in Florida are reported to have been about 30 tons per acre. This vegetable is destined to have a wide sale, and whoever grows it will be surprised at the great demand that already exists for it.

The Chinese or Celery Cabbage belongs to the Cabbage family; leaves being light green and crimped; the plant as it matures forms head much like Cos Lettuce, which are about 15 inches high, have a diameter of 6 to 8 inches, and are as firm and solid as Cabbage; their heart blanches whiter than any Lettuce or Cabbage. The leaf is as tender as Lettuce and has a distinctive flavor very delicate and pleasant; every leaf, including the outside ones, is tender and eatable.

It is served on the table like Lettuce with French dressing; or if cut up like Cabbage and served with mayonnaise or French dressing it makes a splendid cold slaw. It can also be cooked like Cabbage, but it is without the strong Cabbage flavor and tastes more like Cauliflower.

Chinese Cabbage thrives well in any good soil, but low, moist and even wet ground is the best suited. The seed is like Cabbage seed, and it should be treated like late Cabbage. It is very important that the right seed be obtained. There are several varieties imported, and we have found that there is one grower in the North of China who produces the best selection for the South. It makes a solid head with close fitting outer leaves, matures quickly, is very crisp and tender. The heart is the most solid and has the most celery like flavor. We have found it the surest, safest, most profitable to plant. As the plant grows be sure to bank the soil up around it, or tie the leaves together; this will give better quality and greater market value. It will make three times as much per acre as cabbage. Sow in drills about 20 inches apart and the plants thinned out to stand 15 inches apart in the rows. Cultivate the same as Cabbage.

PRICE, pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c, 1 oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00.



**The  
Famous  
Chinese  
Cabbage  
Easy  
To Grow**

**You  
Will  
Be  
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Like It**

Charleston County, S. C., October 8, 1917.

W. H. Mixson Seed Co., Charleston, S. C.  
Gentlemen: I have been using MIXSON'S Cabbage Seed for years. They are all O. K., both for germination and type. Your Wakefield are heavy croppers and your flat varieties I consider SECOND TO NONE. To any inquiry regarding your seed, I will with pleasure recommend you.

Yours truly, J. J. Prentiss.





## Carrots

World-wide fame has been attained by the French as cooks of the highest class, and yet the most economical. Carrots and other root crops they grow and eat by the ton where we use them by the pound. Carrots may be cooked alone or with other vegetables, with meats and soups. They are a healthy food and should be used more by every family. They require 60 to 90 days to mature; are cheap and easy to grow, and are always about 98 per cent. free from insects and disease.

Grow and eat more carrots—they give you health and save you money.

**Culture.**—Sow in drills 1 foot apart,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep, in light, well worked soil. Thin out to 2 or 3 inches. Can be sown as soon as the ground can be worked; also in summer and fall. One ounce sows 100 feet; eight pounds to the acre.

**HALF-LONG STUMP ROOTED.** French grown seed. An early, smooth Carrot; orange colored; easily pulled. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**DANVER'S HALF-LONG.** Dark orange. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**CHANTENAY.** Is unexcelled in productiveness or quality. It is a half-long or stump rooted variety, uniform in growth; deep golden orange color. Finely flavored. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

**OXHEART.** Fine flavored popular selection. Very short and broad; easy to pull; highly colored; rich quality. Is free from hard core; easy to grow. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

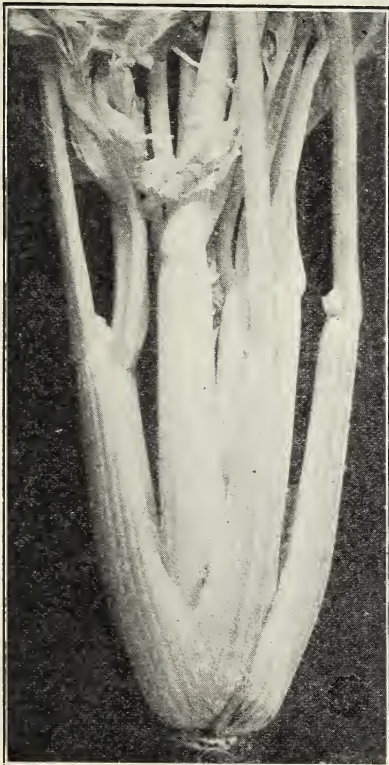
**PRIDE OF FRANCE.** French variety grown from selected stock. Stump-rooted and early. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.

**SELECTED LONG ORANGE IMPROVED.** One of the most desirable for either garden or field culture; it grows into large size, fair specimens averaging 12 inches in length and 3 inches in diameter at the top. All who have cattle should raise a surplus of this carrot for feeding milch cows during the winter. It increases the flow of milk and adds to the butter a delicious flavor and a rich golden color. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

All of our carrot seed are grown in France, from selected roots, and are in every way superior to the American grown seed.

## Grow More Celery

This valuable crop and savory vegetable, except in Florida, Texas, or the entire Gulf Coast country, in sections not ordinarily subject to extreme cold during the winter, should be sown in August and September, in shaded beds, covering seed not over half an inch. Transplant to open ground when 6 inches high. Handled in this way it should be ready for market next March and April. It will not mature in mid summer in South. In the upper or middle South sow in May and June. It will then mature in cool fall months. It does best on rich loamy and mucky soil, and may be grown on red land that is rich and full of humus. It is grown successfully in home gardens from Michigan to the Gulf. It is an important commercial crop, a vegetable needed on every table. In Florida the crop brings as high as \$1,500.00 an acre, and large fortunes have been made by growers. The U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., and S. C. Experimental Station, Clemson College, S. C., will send free bulletins on celery culture, giving complete details. Give the crop a trial this year. 1 pkt. of seed for a small family garden; 1 oz. will produce 2,000 plants.



WHITE PLUME CELERY.



CHANTENAY.

An Excellent Carrot for the South.

## Carrots Are Also Splendid Food for Stock

And are becoming more popular every year with our customers as they learn how easy they are to grow and the large yield per acre at low cost. The White Belgian has proven to be best for the South, has produced 20 tons of roots per acre.

In the Piedmont section of the South they keep well in storage, in the lower South they may be left in ground and pulled as wanted. Carrots used in connection with dry feed help keep the animal in good condition and gives a large increase of milk from dairy cows, at a low cost.

For large yields of any crop the ground, of course, must be made rich with manure or commercial fertilizer. Sow in drills 3 feet apart, 4 pounds of seed per acre. When up and growing well thin out to 6 inches apart. Plant on well cultivated soil and cultivate the crop thoroughly until matured. Price of White Belgian, pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 90c.

## Rubicon Carrot

Mr. E. W. King, one of the most successful of Charleston County's expert truck growers, claims that this is one of the best Carrots that has ever been produced. We have never grown it at Ferndale but are putting in a crop this fall on Mr. King's recommendation and have secured seed of the best quality for the requirements of Mr. King, our own use and for others. Mr. King says it is a quick growing variety of extra good quality and fine flavor. Ready for market in 90 days from sowing seed. Size, half long extra large, has small top. Very popular and easy to sell on account of its beautiful color and fine quality. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, 1 lb. \$1.00.

**Your Health** is your most valuable asset. You can keep it good or improve it by growing and eating plenty of Root Crops, such as Beets, Carrots, Turnips, Salsify, Potatoes, etc. You get from these vegetable salts and sugar which you need very much your health.

To eat plenty of these crops also reduces the grocery bill and total cost of feeding the family. You neglect your own best interest if you do not grow or buy and have vegetables to eat every day at every meal, served in one or more of the appetizing ways in which they may be prepared.

**Good Health and Bad** is largely a matter of eating. It depends on what we eat and eliminate or discharge from the digestive tract. Out of what we eat our digestive organs select the part our body requires to keep us going. If we eat the right combination of food and regularly discharge the part our bodies do not need we feel tip-top—can do our work much easier and quicker than when we have eaten the wrong combinations, then the body becomes clogged with the part we do not need. This causes headache, backache, laziness and all kinds of troubles.

Root crops, such as beets, carrots, parsnips, turnips, salsify, take the place of hay, hulls and grass for folks. Also Irish and sweet potatoes, cabbage, lettuce and other green foods are an absolute necessity. At least two of these vegetables should be part of every meal and the variety is large enough to have a new one at every meal each week. These crops are not only necessary for health, but greatly reduce the grocery bill and total cost of feeding the family. You neglect your own best interest if you do not grow or buy and have these vegetables to eat every day at every meal.

## Collards

**TRUE LONG GEORGIA.** The old-time Southern favorite collard. It stands all kinds of hard treatment and neglect with little injury, and is a sure cropper in the South. Can be grown on land so poor cabbage won't head on it, and furnishes a plentiful supply of leaves of good quality. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 80c, postpaid.

**N. C. WHITE BUNCOMBE.** Has its origin in North Carolina. Closely resembles the Improved White Georgia in many respects except that the leaves are dark green. Very hardy, not affected by bugs or worms. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**IMPROVED WHITE GEORGIA.** Also called Cabbage Collard on account of its close bunching growth and light green leaves, resembling the cabbage—combining the hardness of the collard with the whiteness and crispness of cabbage. You will never know how good collards are until you try our Improved White Georgia. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 90c, postpaid.

## Celery

**GOLDEN SELF BLANCHING.** Is the variety for market gardeners, only French grown seed should be sown. We have a limited supply from the originators. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c, oz. 65c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50.

**IMPROVED WHITE PLUME and GIANT PASCAL.** Are selections of good quality adapted to our conditions and will make fine, crisp, highly flavored celery when well fertilized and cultivated. They blanch easily when mature and will prove highly satisfactory. Price, pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 80c.

**CELERAIC** or turnip rooted celery. It is mostly used for flavoring. Cultivate the same as Celery except that it requires no hilling up. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.



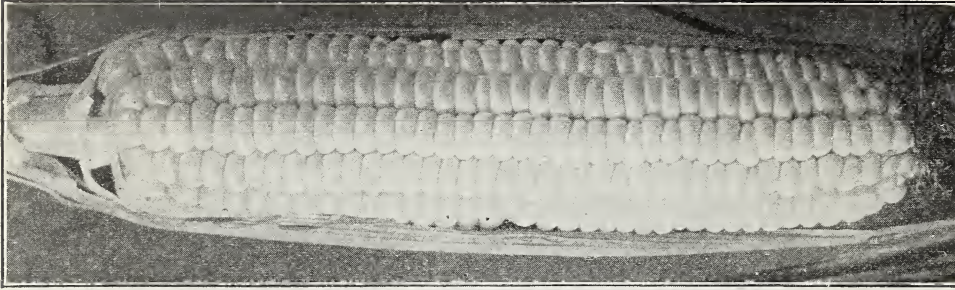


# All of Mixson's

PAI-METTO BRAND



# Seed are Good



AN EAR OF STOWELL'S EVERGREEN

## Trucker's Favorite.

to follow Early Adams it is unquestionably one of the best; or for planting late to mature quickly it is equally valuable.

Never have we introduced a corn that has given more general satisfaction. For a second early

It is a white corn, with very good depth of grain, tender and sweet, and makes a most desirable size for roasting ears. Pkt. 10c, 1/2 lb. 20c, 1 lb. 30c, postpaid. 10 lbs. not prepaid, \$1.25.

**Golden Bantam.** This is a great selection of the finest quality, is the earliest for the South, and one that should be in every garden. It is all right in every way. Pkt. 10c, 1/2 lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, postpaid; 10 lbs. \$2.30, 50 lbs. \$11.00, not postpaid.

## Stowell's Evergreen.

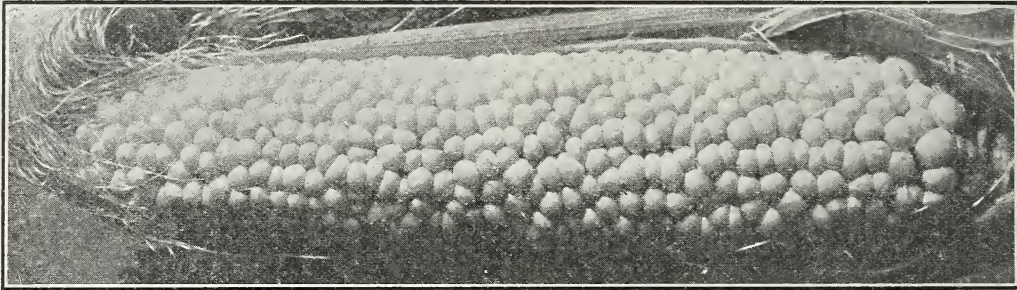
This is the safest and surest sugar corn for all parts of the South; makes a good large ear, two to three to stalk. Well filled with long sweet grains set on a very small cob. It is the easiest of this type to grow. Pkt. 10c, 1/2 lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 10 lbs. \$2.00, not prepaid.

## Mixson's Early Giant.

Remarkably large in size for so early a corn. Ears are about 8 inches long, 12 to 14-rower. Pkt. 10c, postpaid; 1/2 lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 10 lbs. \$2.00, not prepaid.

## Country Gentleman

This famous selection pleases everybody. Said to be the finest quality of all Sweet Corn. Is adapted to the South. Has long shriveled grain, well filled in on a small cob. Makes about 3 ears to stalk. Pkt. 10c, 1/2 lb. 20; 1 lb. postpaid, 35c.



COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

## Mixed Sweet Corn.

1 pkt. 15c, 1/2 lb. 25c. All varieties.

## Adams Extra Early.

This is the earliest roasting ear corn, must be planted on the very richest ground and have sufficient moisture to be satisfactory. Pkt. 10c, lb. 30c, 3 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 10 lbs. \$1.25.

## Adams Large Early.

This is the safest and surest of the two Adams varieties to plant in the South. Stalk very dwarf; makes large ears; can be planted very close. Big profits in it for roasting ears, and is the first corn you can use for stock feed. Must have good, rich soil and frequent cultivation. Price pkt. 10c, lb. 30c, 3 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 10 lbs. \$1.25.

## POP CORN

In addition to its value for popping, is becoming more popular every year for early forage. It is the earliest variety for this purpose when planted on rich ground, four-foot rows and thick in drill. Is ready to feed in June when whole stalk with ear is cut and fed. Try a small patch of it this year.

## White Rice.

A fine variety, clear white and very productive. Pops beautifully. Crisp, large and white. Pkt. 10c, lb. 30c, postpaid. Ask for quantity prices.

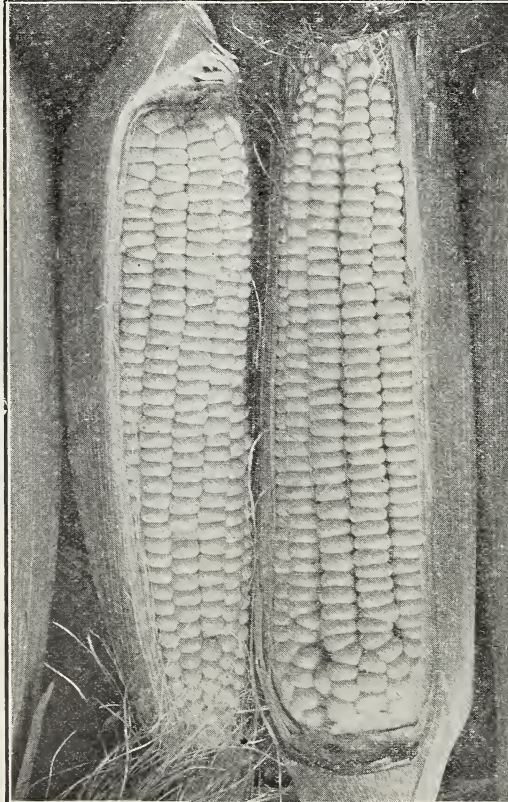
## Golden Beauty.

A variety which for extreme earliness, great productiveness, crispness, sweetness and depth of grain and smallness of cob can not be excelled. It pops splendidly and matures four months from time it is planted. Pkt. 10c, lb. 30c. Ask for quantity prices.

## FIELD CORN.

Varieties that mature very early and make fine, large roasting ears of good quality are:

**GOLDEN and WHITE DENT, and IMPROVED EARLY SNOW FLAKE.** The last named is a favorite with many truckers in the South. It makes a fine large ear and sells fast. Six Ear Prolific is also a good roasting ear corn. Price of these four varieties, pkt. 10c, lb. 25c, 2 1/2 lbs. 40c. For price in larger quantity see Field Corn, pages in back of catalog.



ADAMS LARGE EARLY

## SWEET OR SUGAR CORN

for ROASTING EARS is one of the best and easiest crops to grow and every one knows how good fresh green corn is in the spring and through the summer. A packet of our seed will produce a fine lot of corn, and for those who have only a small space and yet want a variety, we offer you a mixed packet containing some of each kind, and those with room enough for just a few stalks at a time will find this quite an advantage.

The Sugar Corn has a shriveled grain, is not so hardy as the other corn; the ground should be warm when it is planted; when the leaves on trees are well out will be the time to plant. Large Adams and other corn may be planted earlier. Make the ground good and rich; put in some 16 per cent, acid phosphate, have rows 2 1/2 feet apart, drop five grains every two feet, thin out leaving three to hill if ground is rich. Corn needs a great deal of moisture, very shallow and frequent cultivation; don't let the grass and weeds get the food and moisture in the ground. Weeds are easy to keep down by running a rake or light hoe over the ground frequently. It is easiest to kill grass and weeds just as the seed is germinating. 1 pkt. of seed should plant 50 feet of row.

## GROW MORE CORN

For the table, the stock and to sell.

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.



## CUCUMBERS

The Cucumber is one of our special lines and we probably sell more Cucumber seed in South Carolina than all other firms sell in the State. As we sell year after year to the largest truckers such a

quantity of seed, it is very evident that we are producing and selling the very highest quality. This is true and you will be highly satisfied with our extra good Cucumber seed.

**Culture.**—Plant in the open as soon as weather permits; four feet apart each way, thinning out to four plants after they are well up. Fertilize with well-rotted stable manure. One ounce plants fifty hills; 2 to 1 pounds to the acre. To have them very early, start in pots or paper boxes indoors, and then transplant to the open as soon as weather will permit, taking care to check the growth as little as possible.



**MIXSON'S IMPROVED WHITE SPINE CUCUMBER**

**MIXSON'S IMPROVED WHITE SPINE.** Our best strain for main crop. Early, green and prolific. A favorite with market and private gardeners. Packet 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid; lb., by express, 90c.

**ARLINGTON WHITE SPINE.** A popular variety with truckers. It is excellent in shape, color and shipping qualities. Packet 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid; lb., by express, 90c.

**EARLY FORTUNE.** This is one of our biggest sellers, and the stock we have has shown up to be unsurpassed for long distance shipments. Our stop produces strong, healthy, prolific plants, giving the heaviest yield per acre known in this section. If you want Early Fortune that you can depend on, send us your order. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.

**IMPROVED LONG GREEN.** An old-time favorite; fruits extra long and of good size, holding their dark green color until well matured. Crisp, tender and free from bitterness; fine for slicing. When 3 to 4 inches long they make an especially fine pickling cucumber. Good for planting at all seasons from early spring to late summer. Packet 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**DAVIS' PERFECT CUCUMBER.** An almost ideal cucumber for shipping; of deep dark green color, uniform in size. Davis' Perfect is a favorite with shippers in many parts of Florida and Texas. It is almost seedless 1-3 of its length from the stem, and all of its seeds when in slicing condition are so very small and tender they are almost unnoticeable. A very prolific variety. Packet 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid. Ten-pound lots or over, not prepaid, 80c per lb.

**LEMON CUCUMBER.** A delicious lemon shaped and colored cucumber of fine flavor and texture; exceedingly prolific and the most delightful variety for your home garden. Nice for slicing and making salads or can be eaten the same as radishes. This prolific little cucumber has made itself the favorite over all others for the table, where it is known. Can be picked. Packet 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

**GHERKINS.** Small fruited, 2 to 3 inches long, well rounded and covered with small spines. For pickling only. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c.

**GREAT EVERBEARING CUCUMBER.** This variety is entirely distinct from all others on account of its close, bushy growth and everbearing character as shown in our illustration. The first cucumbers are ready very early and the vines continue to flower and produce fruit continually until late in the season, whether the ripe cucumbers are picked off or not, differing in this respect from all other varieties of cucumbers in cultivation. A single vine will show at the same time cucumbers in every stage of growth, the smaller ones being perfect in shape, of a fine green color, just the right size for pickling. As they grow larger they are entirely satisfactory as a slicing cucumber. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.



**A SINGLE PLANT OF EVERBEARING CUCUMBER**

**SOUTHERN PICKLE.** Is a regular pickle cuke good to grow only for picklers and is perfect for this purpose. Very prolific. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.



**JAPANESE CLIMBING CUCUMBER.** The vines attain twice the length of common varieties. Young plants are bushy, but as soon as they are well established begin to throw out runners and climb, so may be grown on fences, poles or trellises thus saving much valuable space in small gardens. May also be grown as other varieties. Fruits 10 to 12 inches in length, of fine green color; flesh is thick and firm, never bitter, a superb variety for slicing. When young makes fine pickles. Very prolific, fruits are raised well above the ground so seldom suffer from wet weather or insects. Vines are almost mildew-proof and continue in bearing until late in the season. Packet, 10c; ounce, 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50, postpaid.



## ENDIVE

One ounce will sow 200 feet of drill.

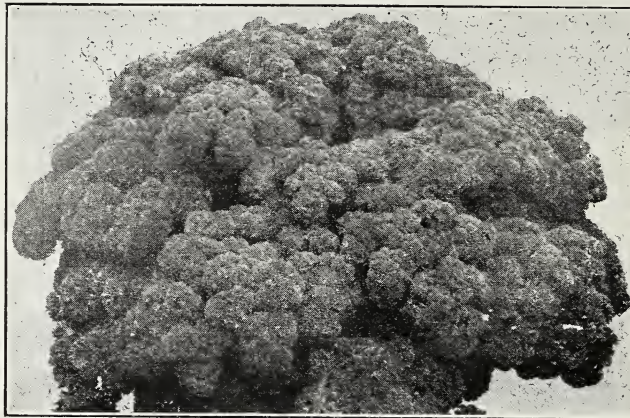
**Culture.**—One of the most attractive of all autumn and winter salads. It is commonly known in restaurants as Chicoree, and is especially refreshing when served with lettuce with plain French dressing. Sow seed from middle of February till the last of August. When the plants are fully grown, tie all the outside leaves together, over the heart, to blanch the inner leaves, which will take about a week. Do not tie up the leaves when they are wet as they will decay.

**GREEN CURLED.** Is the hardest variety and has deep green leaves, that are finely crinkled and curled. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

**WHITE CURLED.** Very tender when cut young; blanches readily. Very similar to Green Curled, but the leaves are naturally of light golden tint, and they do not have to be tied up to blanch them for table use. Flavor very good. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 75c.

## KOHL-RABI

In growth this is half way between cabbage and turnip; the edible portion is the large bulb which forms at the stem above the soil. By making successive sowings, tender bulbs may be had throughout the summer and fall, and are highly esteemed for their mild, delicate, cabbage-like flavor. For table use the bulbs should be gathered while the skin is still tender; boiled, sliced, and the hard lower portion discarded. The plants are quite hardy and seed may be sown in drills as early as the ground can be worked in good condition. When started the plants can be set out like cabbages, six to ten inches apart in the row. Price, pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 90c.



MOSS CURLED PARSLEY.

## PARSLEY

(One ounce of seed for 150 feet of drill, 5 to 6 pounds for an acre.)

**Culture.**—Used for garnishing and seasoning soups, meats, etc. Succeeds best in a mellow, rich soil. Sow thickly early in April in rows 1 foot apart and ½-inch deep; thin out plants to stand 6 inches apart in the rows. The seed is slow of germination, taking from three to four weeks to make its appearance, and often failing to come up in dry weather. To assist its coming up quicker, soak the seed a few hours in warm water, or sprout in damp earth, and sow when it swells or bursts.

**DOUBLE MOSS CURLED.** The most ornamental of all the curled varieties and a favorite in the home garden as well as being used exclusively by market gardeners to supply our hotels and markets. It is easily grown and should be in every garden. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

**PLAIN LEAVED.** Is a very sturdy, strong-growing variety, not ornamental, but grown for "seasoning" exclusively. A favorite in many home gardens. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

## KALE, or BORECOLE

**Culture.**—Sow in 18-inch drills from September till November. May also be sown in February. Protect with straw in very severe weather. Excellent for greens. Four pounds will plant an acre.

**DWARF CURLED SIBERIAN.** The standard winter variety. Leaves bright green, curled and very delicate. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 65c, lb. \$2.25, postpaid.

## GOURDS

**DIPPER GOURD.** Shaped like a dipper and is used extensively for dippers. Many people much prefer to drink water out of a gourd dipper. Pkt. 5c.

**NEST EGG GOURD.** Looks very much like a hen egg and is used as a nest egg. Pkt. 5c.

**DISH CLOTH GOURD.** Many women prefer a dish cloth made of this gourd to any other kind. It is always sweet and clean as long as any of it is left. Pkt. 5c.

**BASKET, or SUGAR TROUGH GOURD.** Good for nests, water dishes in chicken yards, etc. Pkt. 5c, 4 pkts., one of each variety, 15c.

## Seeds of Flavoring and Medicinal Herbs

A few herbs in the garden will be found very convenient, there being so many uses to which they can be put in the green and also dry form. For winter use they should be cut just as they come into flower, tied in bunches and hung in a light, airy place indoors, where they can be available for use any time.

	Pkt.
Anise .....	.10
Balm .....	.10
Borage .....	.10
Caraway .....	.10
Catnip .....	.10
Coriander .....	.10
Dill .....	.10
Horehound .....	.10
Lavender .....	.10
Pennyroyal .....	.15
Sage .....	.10
Savory Summer .....	.05
Sweet Marjoram, American .....	.10
Thyme, Broad Leaved .....	.10
Wormwood .....	.10

## KALE

**DWARF GREEN CURLED SCOTCH.** Largely used in the Norfolk district. Leaves green, beautifully curled. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 65c.

## PARSNIP

(One ounce for 200 feet of drill, 5 to 6 lbs. for an acre.)

**LARGE SUGAR, or HOLLOW CROWN.** The best variety, roots long, very smooth, white, tender, sugary, and of excellent flavor. This strain was made by careful selection of roots having the distinct hollow crown. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50, postpaid. One ounce will sow about 100 feet of drill.

## LEEK

**Culture.**—Sow the seed very early in a seedbed in a sheltered place, if possible. When plants are about 6 inches long transplant them to trenches 6 inches deep, with very rich soil at the bottom. Fill up the trenches as the plants grow, and later draw soil up to them. As a result you will have fine, large Leeks blanched half a foot long, which may be kept all winter if dug up with the roots and stored in moist sand in the cellar.

**LARGE AMERICAN FLAG.** The largest and most desirable, either for market or family use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 50c.

**A good garden this Spring is one sure way to cut the H. C. L.**

## Mixson's Seed and Plants Are Sure to Please You As They Have Others

### CHEAPER THAN NORTHERN COMPANIES

Anson County, N. C., Feb. 25, 1919.

I received my cabbage seed and certainly think I got a bargain in them. I find your seed and plants to be much cheaper than Northern companies. Please forward this order for plants at once.

Mrs. J. T. Horne.

### OUR MELON SEED THE BEST

Brooks County, Ga., Feb. 12, 1919.

I ordered my melon seed from you last year and your seed were all right. I saved plenty of seed to plant but prefer to plant part of my crop in fresh ones from you.

See Page 19.

J. T. Dail.

### EVERYTHING O. K. PLANTS GROWING FINE

Pickens County, S. C., April 4, 1919.

I receive my seed and cabbage plants all O. K. last month. My plants are growing fine. Please quote me now on Nancy Hall Potato Slips.

J. A. Williams.

### ROSE PLANTS ALL THAT COULD BE ASKED

Richland County, S. C., March 11, 1919.

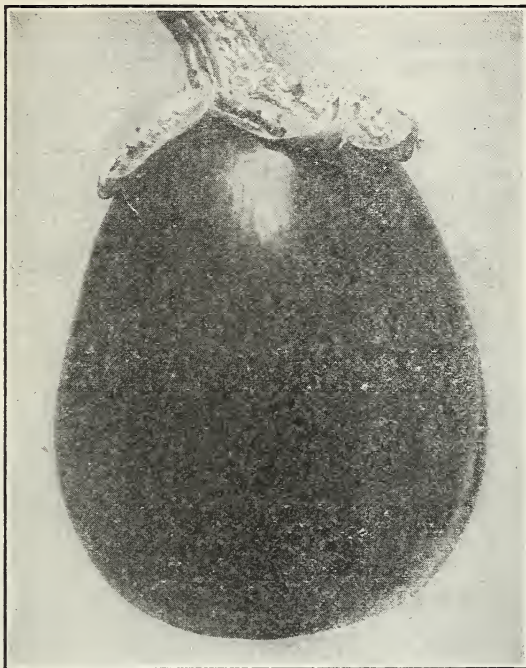
Find enclosed money order for one large Lemon plant. The collection of a dozen roses received; they are just beautiful plants and all I could ask in every way.

See Page 34 for our 1920 Rose offer.

Mrs. T. H. Lomas.



## Egg Plant



**PERFECTED NEW YORK PURPLE THORNLESS EGG PLANT**

We have tried out a number of selections of Purple Egg Plant trying to get the best, and for the past five years we have found nothing quite equal to the **above selection**, therefore, we call it perfected. It is the finest type in color, shape, yield, freedom from disease and thorns. It has proven satisfactory in every way, especially in yield and profit to growers who ship. **Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 10c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. \$1.25, ½ lb. \$2.50.**

## FLORIDA HIGH BUSH EGG PLANT

is becoming more popular every year. This is only natural, for it is a fine selection. It is a strong, high growing, vigorous plant, very prolific and fruit is of excellent quality. Good for every purpose—home garden, local market or shipping. **Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 35c, ¼ lb. \$1.25, 1 lb. \$4.00.**

**Culture.**—Sow seed in a box where you can keep it warm, or in hotbed, January to middle of March, starting first in Gulf section. Temperature should be not less than 65 degrees. Transplant to open ground when plant has 5 leaves and danger of frost is past. Keep the ground clean and scratched over once a week. Have the ground well fertilized. You will need ½ lb. seed for acre. Pkt. will be enough for small family garden. The best way we have ever found for eating Egg Plant was to grind the meat up with cracker crumbs and cheese, season well and bake. This is an ideal dish.

## High-Grade Lettuce Seed

The production of MARKET GARDENERS' stock of lettuce seed has received for a number of years our most careful attention. We give special care to the production of these well known, standard varieties of proven value. Our special stocks have been developed and selected with the greatest care until they are, without exception, the most perfect in results that the most critical grower could desire. We produce this seed in California and France under expert supervision. Seed of **BETTER** quality has **NOT YET** been grown. You will certainly be pleased and satisfied with any of our varieties.

**MAY KING.** Is a cabbage heading lettuce that has proven very satisfactory. Tender, crisp and good color, very much liked for home garden. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c; ¼ lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.**

**MIXSON'S CABBAGE LETTUCE.** This selection makes a head about as solid as a drumhead cabbage and very large size. They will average over a pound each, are very uniform; keeps in good condition a long time after being gathered and for long distance shipments has no superior. Will hold up in fine shape shipped from Florida to Chicago. **Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c; ¼ lb. 35c; 1 lb. \$1.00.**

**CALIFORNIA CREAM BUTTER.** Heads large, round and of a beautiful appearance. The outer leaves are glossy green marked with small brown spots; the inner leaves are of a rich cream color. Medium early, and makes a good sort for summer use. Quality is very good. **Pkt. 5c; oz 15c; ¼ lb. 40c; 1 lb. \$1.25, postpaid.**

**TRIANON, COS, ROMAINE or CELERY LETTUCE.** This is a distinct type which is very popular. It makes the largest heads of any variety, they grow long, conical and compact, the inside blanches pure white, is tender and crisp, mild and fine flavor. Stems often eaten as celery. Grown along the Carolina coast in large quantities and shipped North, is a very profitable crop well adapted to growing in any locality. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 40c, 1 lb. \$1.25.**



**TRIANON, OR COS LETTUCE**

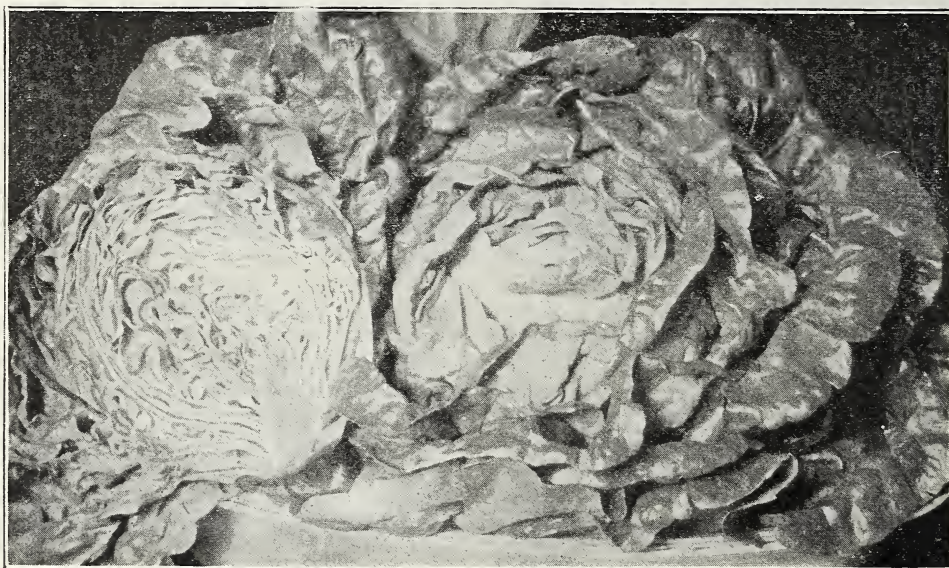




## Mixson's High-Grade Lettuce

**CHARLESTON MARKET LETTUCE.** We introduced several years ago, and we believe that every one who has tried it is continuing to plant it and recommend it to friends, judging by the way demand for this variety is growing. It equals our popular selection of Big Boston in every way except size. Is not so large as the Big Boston, but is earlier and of finer quality, which is saying a great deal for it. It quickly grows into a fine, hard head of medium size, crisp and tender, almost to the last outside leaf. We have never eaten lettuce that was so nearly all crisp, creamy silver and golden heart, with such a distinct and delicious flavor. No head lettuce on the market will quite equal it for home

garden or market. **BE VERY SURE** that you order a packet, or at least half of the lettuce seed you expect to buy this year, in this variety, for our "Charleston Market" is sure to please you unusually well. It stands the heat; is slow to seed, not over two plants in a hundred will go to seed prematurely. It keeps crisp and sweet late in the season. It shows up fine for market, where its beautiful shade of green and perfectly formed head always attract special attention and is a quick seller at the best prices. **THIS IS THE LETTUCE THAT WILL NOT DISAPPOINT YOU IN ANY WAY. YOU WILL LIKE IT—ENJOY IT AND BE SATISFIED.** Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c, lb. \$1.40.



**BIG BOSTON LETTUCE**

**BIG BOSTON.** This selection of lettuce is at present the "Big Bertha" on the firing line of popular and profitable varieties of lettuce for every purpose and every part of the country. It is a leader in all three classes, for shipping, home market and private garden. Is offered for sale from coast to coast everywhere by everybody. There is a great difference in the grade or quality of seed offered, some of the seed is just ordinary stock gathered often from crops that have run out and which have prematurely gone to seed. There is mongrel runout stock of BIG BOSTON everywhere offered at various prices. The greater portion of our Big Boston seed is sold to successful truckers who depend on it each year for part of their living, and they live well; they plant our seed because as with other special stocks that we have developed, they find our BIG BOSTON to be the nearest to PERFECTION that they have been able to get, and they always get the best market price for the crops.

It is hard heading and 98 per cent. perfect for shipping or home markets, is very hardy, makes a firm, round, extra large head. You will find it the most satisfactory stock of BIG BOSTON you have ever planted. **Price, pkt. 5c; oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, 1 lb. \$1.25, postpaid.**

**MIXSON'S HOT WEATHER LETTUCE.** This is the best "all summer" lettuce we have ever seen. It's really an "ALL SEASON" lettuce, good for planting any time. This variety is of excellent quality, makes a large, crisp, tender head of light green color, tinged with brown. Excellent quality, popular for home garden or market. The seed of this variety germinate better than any other variety in warm weather. This is a good, reliable, hardy, variety that you will find easy to grow and will please you perfectly. For summer it does best on black or very dark, rich soil. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c, lb. \$1.50.**





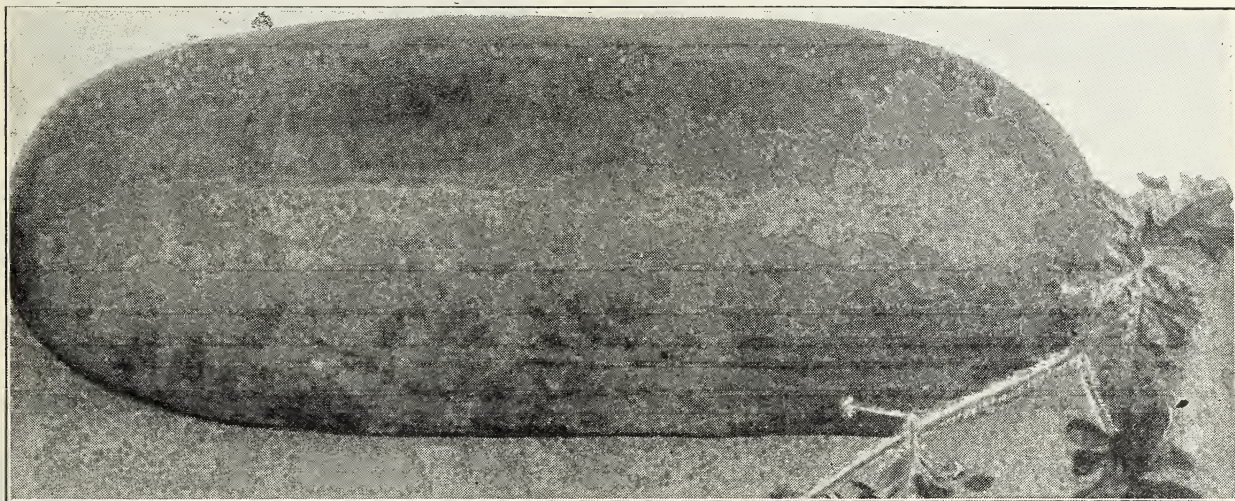
## Mixson's High-Grade Watermelon Seed

YOU PROTECT YOURSELF FROM FAILURE WHEN YOU PLANT THIS SEED.

**WATERMELON SEED.** This is one of the most important class of seeds in the South, yet the supply of really high-grade, pure-bred seed is surprisingly small as compared with the large quantity sold. We have given special attention to developing the best varieties for shipping and home use, realizing especially the great need for purer and better selections of the popular shipping varieties, such as Watson, Rattlesnake, Florida Favorite, Alabama Sweet, Kleckley Shipper and Excel. We have been growing and improving these shipping varieties for a number of years, under ideal conditions for keeping each variety pure. We have not only been fortunate in improving the purity, but have produced strains that have unusual

vigor and vitality. The crops that our seed has produced show the largest percentage of first-class saleable shipping and home market melons.

There can be no doubt but that it will pay you to plant your entire crop in our High-Grade Southern Seed. In Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, North and South Carolina, Florida, in every part of the South our seed has given the most satisfactory results. **You will protect yourself from failure** when you plant this seed. We have mentioned specially the shipping varieties. Our efforts, however, have included Kleckly Sweet, Carolina Bradford and other varieties we offer.



WATSON WATERMELON.

**THE GENUINE WATSON MELON** is what we have and you will be perfectly satisfied with this seed in every way. High germination of seed, strong healthy vines, well formed, true type melons, the finest quality that we have seen of this variety for shipping or home market; thin, tough rind, meat red and sugar sweet. We think this is the finest stock of Watson melon ever offered. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, 10 lbs. \$9.00.

**FLORIDA FAVORITE.** The popular Extra Early shipping melon, long, dark green, rind striped with lighter green. This is a melon of fine appearance, is true to type, very prolific, has strong, vigorous vines; a sure crop variety. Always in demand. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 75c, 10 lbs. \$6.00.

**CAROLINA BRADFORD.** This is a melon of unusual quality for home use and should be in every melon crop. Do not fail to plant some of this variety this year. It seems peculiarly adapted to South Carolina and always gives the greatest satisfaction here. This is a medium long green, with white seed, honey sweet brittle red meat. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 75c.

**JONES.** This is the big, round, green rind jumbo melon which sometimes grows to be 80 or a 100 lb. It is the best large round melon. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 75c.

**ALABAMA SWEET.** This excellent shipping melon is the leading sort grown by Texas and other Southern melon growers' associations and individual growers. The rind is dark green, marked with a still darker green mottled stripe, and while thin is very tough, making the melon a first-class shipper. The flesh is bright red, fine grained, sweet and luscious, entirely stringless and very firm. The seeds are white, slightly tipped with brown, and are firmly set in small cavities near the rind. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 75c, postpaid.

**CITRON or STOCK MELON.** Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**IRISH GREY.** A new and distinct variety, produces more good merchantable melons per acre than any other variety and quality is all that could be desired. The sparkling red meat is very sweet and free from stringiness, crisp and compact. Ripens earlier than Watson, more prolific, does not blister, stands long distance shipping, rind is grey. A very valuable melon in every way. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, 1 lb. \$1.25. Ask for price in larger quantity.

**KLECKLEY SWEET.** This splendid and most sweet watermelon has certainly become very popular wherever it has been thoroughly tested. It is of superb, luscious flavor. While the skin is perhaps too thin to permit of the melons being shipped very great distances to market, it is most desirable to plant for home use, or local markets. The melons themselves are very large, oblong in form, with dark green skin, the rind, which is very brittle. Flesh bright scarlet, with solid heart, delicious crisp, sugary and splendid in every way. The melons average 18 to 20 inches in length, by 10 to 12 inches in diameter; of handsome appearance; ripens early, and is most desirable for the home garden. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**EXCEL.** A popular extra long, dark green extremely early shipping melon, very popular in some sections. We have the genuine stock. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**HALBERT HONEY.** Is a record-breaker for sweetness and its crisp, red meat is free from stringiness. It is strictly a home and near market melon. On account of its extra sweetness, uniform shape and fine appearance, it is growing more popular every year. It is long with dark green rind, grows to large size and makes an unusually big crop. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

**GENUINE AUGUSTA RATTLESNAKE** is everywhere known as "the melon that made Georgia Famous." There is a great difference in common Georgia Rattlesnake and this selection. Our genuine stock produces the largest, finest looking melons, with the sweetest reddest meat. This is perfection of the Rattlesnake type. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00.





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PALMETTO BRAND



# Seed are Good



## Mixson's High-Grade Cantaloupes

One ounce will plant about 50 hills; 2 to 3 lbs. in hills per acre.

**Culture.**—Melons thrive best in a light, rich soil. Plant early in May, when the ground has become warm and dry, in hills 5 to 6 feet apart each way for Muskmelons, 8 to 10 feet for Watermelons. Previous to sowing seed, mix a few shovelfuls of well-rotted manure in each hill, and plant in each 12 to 15 seeds, after all danger of frost is over, thin out to three or four plants per hill. A few hills for early use may be had by sowing on pieces of sod in a hotbed, and when warm enough, transplant to open ground. Melon vines are subject to the same destructive insects and fungus foes as are cucumbers and squash vines. Early and repeated spraying with Arsenate of Lead Mixture is always advisable for these crops.

**SPECIAL GOLD LINED SALMON FLESHED OR PINK MEAT ROCKY FORD.** This is an improvement on the old Rocky Ford and is fast becoming the most popular muskmelon wherever it is known. It is completely netted all over and shows no inclination of ribbing and is uniform in size and shape and has no slicks. The illustration on this page is from a photograph of an average size melon. Vines are heavy and bear abundantly throughout the season. The ripe melon has a silver colored face-like veiling over it. Meat is rich green with a beautiful gold lining and can be eaten very close to the rind. The small seed cavity, the deep netting and being very solid makes it a good long distance shipper. When ordering be sure to mention "Special Gold Lined" Rocky Ford. Pkt. 10c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; 1 lb. \$1.75, postpaid.

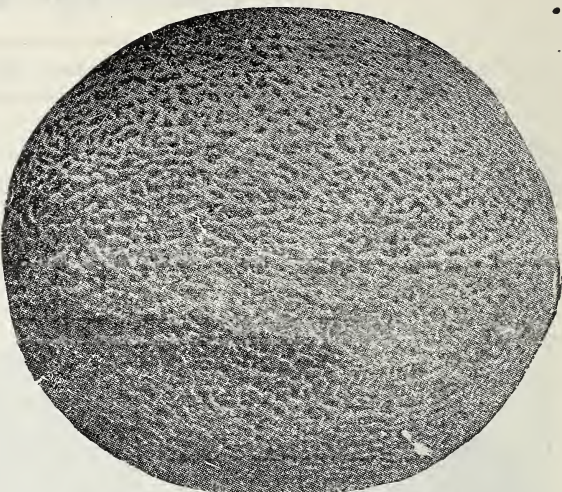
**ROCKY FORD CANTALOUPE.** This melon takes its name from the little town of Rocky Ford, Colorado, which has become famous for its melons. The popularity of this melon is best attested by the fact that about one thousand carloads of them are annually grown and shipped from Rocky Ford to all parts of the United States—to say nothing of the large quantities grown and shipped from other stations. It is safe to say that no melon has ever been so popular in the large city markets and has sold so readily at such high prices as the Rocky Ford. It is just the right size to serve in halves, and this fact, together with its delicious flavor, make it ideal for that purpose. Very attractive in appearance. The vines are exceedingly healthy and vigorous, bearing an abundant supply of fruit during the entire season. The green flesh is deep and very solid. The seed cavity is very small. The average weight is about one and a half pounds. Our price is very low for the quality of the seed we offer. Write for special prices in large quantities. Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c; 1 lb. \$1.00, postpaid. Ten pounds or more by express, not prepaid, at 70c per pound.

**BANANA MUSKMELON.** This is a long slender melon, growing from one to two feet in length and four to six inches in diameter. Skin is creamy white, with very firm meat of deep salmon color. Has a most pleasing flavor like a banana. It is grown extensively for home garden use. We can not recommend this variety as a shipper, because melons are very long and would be easily broken. We believe that our strain of banana muskmelon is the very best on the market, and are sure that you will not make a mistake by planting a patch of this variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, 1 lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

**NETTED GEM.** An excellent small melon, very popular with melon growers. Finely netted and looks nice in the market. Flesh green and particularly rich and juicy. This is the parent variety of the Rocky Ford type of melons and is grown in preference to the more recent strains in many parts of the country. Our stock is from one of the best growers in the country, and will please our customers with its fine flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, 1 lb. \$1.00, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, at 85c per lb.

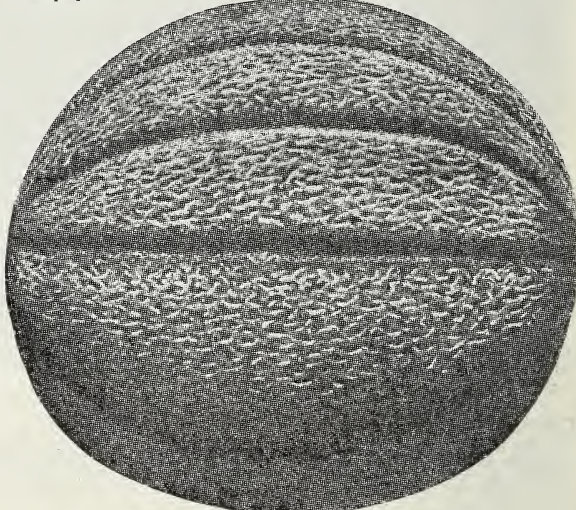
**EXTRA EARLY HANOVER.** Is unquestionably the earliest cantaloupe. While being extra early in maturity, it also makes a good-sized melon, averaging considerably larger than the netted gem. It is round in shape, slightly flattened at the ends, and a fine shipping and market melon. Wherever it has been grown it has become very popular and the demand for seed has increased rapidly each year, so much so that it has always exhausted the supply before the season was over. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, 1 lb. \$1.00, postpaid; 5 pounds or more by express, not prepaid, at 90c per pound.

**EXTRA EARLY HACKENSACK.** Fruit attains a good size, weighing four to six pounds each. The melons are round, heavily ribbed; skin is green and thickly netted; flesh is light green, of delicious flavor, rich and sugary; it is also a luxuriant, healthy grower and exceedingly productive. This is the earliest of all netted melons. Large Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, 1 lb. \$1.00, postpaid. 5 pounds or more by express, not prepaid, at 90c per pound.



GOLD LINED ROCKY FORD CANTALOUPE

**EDEN GEM.** Is the popular, round, heavily netted, highly flavored Cantaloupe planted everywhere for home use, shipping or home market. It is very early, each vine makes a big crop of saleable melons; it is more resistant to rust, insects and all plant troubles, than any other selection. We have the most carefully selected stock of seed that can be produced. You can depend on it absolutely for a crop of any size. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, 1 lb. \$1.25, postpaid; 10 lbs. at \$1.10, not prepaid.



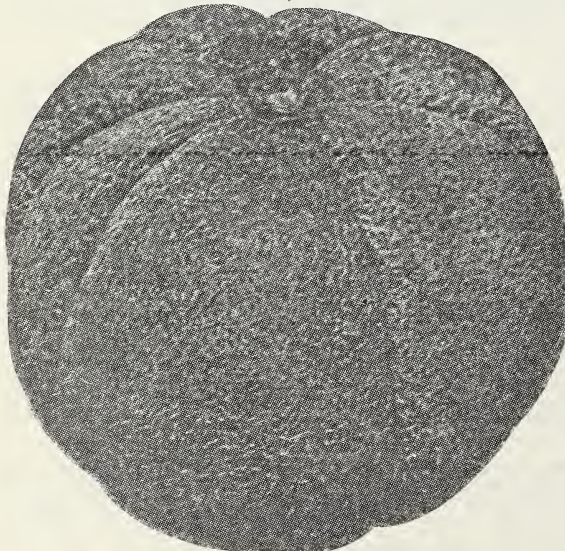
ROCKY FORD CANTALOUPE

**CANTALOUPE KNIGHT EXTRA EARLY.** Listen! Do you want a good, first-class sure-crop cantaloupe? One that has that rich, sweet, almost indescribably delicious flavor and aromatic odor; one that is ready to eat before the Rocky Ford; that is larger and more satisfactory in every way than any other extra early; one that you are sure to plant every year after you have once tried it? If you do, then write down on the order sheet one ounce or a quarter-pound. Be sure you get plenty of seed because you don't want to be saying when they are ripe and you are having such a good time eating them, "I sure wish I had planted twice as many of those Knights." This is a cantaloupe that will make you feel good all day if you have it for breakfast. Take our word for it. You will not be disappointed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c, 1 lb. \$1.75.

**SWEET MARTHA OR FORDHOOK.** Is a delicious little cantaloupe that is getting better known in the South every year. It is a fine home garden or local market melon, very prolific, strong, healthy growing, long bearing, a melon that pleases every one. It is easy to sell and on account of its just right size and extra heavy yield it makes a profitable melon for home market. The meat is a highly colored salmon pink with a rich sweet flavor you will be sure to like. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, 1 lb. \$1.00.

**NIXON.** Is a Southern bred, very large cantaloupe, sometimes weighing 20 pounds. The quality is extra good, the flavor is perfect. It bears heavily and is thoroughly adapted to the South. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, 1 lb. \$1.50.

**HONEY DEW.** It is practically impossible to describe this delicious melon. The only way for you to do is buy some of the seed and grow as many as you can. They are so good that no matter how many you have you will wish you had more. This, we think, is the only muskmelon or cantaloupe that has ever sold for a dollar each. It grows large, often weighing 8 pounds. The thin rind is tough and almost like a shell, which keeps it in perfect condition for several weeks after ripening. The meat is as rich as cream and sweet as honey. You will certainly be more than pleased with this melon. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; 1 lb. \$2.25.



EXTRA EARLY HANOVER CANTALOUPE

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.





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## \$600 an Acre Profit is Often Made By Southern Onion Growers

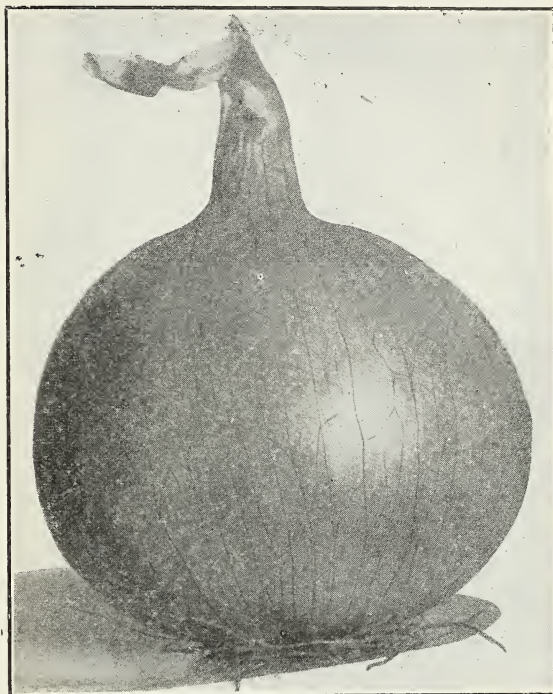
Onions are a healthy food. They should be eaten frequently by everyone. Fresh green onions and boiled onions are really a necessary part of our food. Onions are as easy to grow as any other crop and do especially well in the South. Thousands of dollars are sent away from the South every year for onions that can be grown as cheaply and successfully in the South as anywhere. The cheapest way to grow onions is from the little black seed, which should be planted just as soon as the ground can be worked and well prepared in the spring. The soil should be perfectly pulverized and heavily fertilized, the crop must be frequently cultivated. Sow 1 oz. of seed to 200 feet of row, 4 lbs. to acre. Crop will mature in 100 to 145 days, depending on variety. Onions grown on sandy soil keep the best. The crop is one of the easiest to grow and most profitable. At two cents a pound there is money in the crop. \$400 to \$600 an acre profit may be made. Every home garden and market garden should produce onions. Plant our Prizetaker, Australian Brown, Large Red, White and Yellow Globe and Bermuda varieties. They are the best. United States Department of Agriculture Onion Bulletin will give you complete information about growing and saving the crop.

**MIXSON'S SOUTHERN PRIZETAKER.** Is a selection that will always give satisfaction. Under very favorable conditions it grows to an enormous size, sometimes weighing 5 pounds. The quality is good. You can always depend on it for a sure crop. The outer skin is straw brown, the inside snow white, fine grain, mild flavor. You will like it. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 15c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 75c, lb. \$2.50.

**MIXSON'S LARGE SOUTHERN GLOBE ONIONS—Red, White, Yellow.** Are all of the same type, but different colors. The quality and size is ideal. Crisp, fine-grained and not too strong. They are fine for home garden and sell quickly on the market because of their fine appearance. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 15c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.50, either color.

**BERMUDA ONION—Yellow, Crystal, White, Red.** This famous class of onions is considered the best of all for early market and for the most perfect quality. It is a great money maker on the Gulf and Atlantic seaboard for a winter crop. The seed being planted October 1st. It is also a quick maturing onion for spring planting. This is the sweetest and mildest flavored of all onions; it is considered the leader for quality. The Crystal White comes first for quality, then Yellow, which is the longest keeper and best shipper. The Red is equal to the Yellow and preferred by many because of its color. Under the skin they are all pure white. This is an onion that should be in every garden.

Price	Pkt.	½ oz.	oz.	¼ oz.	lb.
Bermuda Yellow .....	.05	.15	.25	.90	\$3.00
Crystal White .....	.05	.20	.35	1.15	4.00
Red .....	.05	.15	.25	.90	3.00



SOUTHERN RED GLOBE.

**AUSTRALIAN BROWN.** When the true imported stock is planted has proven one of the best onions for the South. It keeps unusually well, is practically free from disease and well adapted to dry, hot seasons. Color is a distinct amber brown. It is round, but not quite globe shaped. This is a very popular and excellent variety. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 15c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 60c, lb. \$2.00.

	Pkt.	½ oz.	oz.	¼ lb.	1 lb.
Large Red Weatherfield .....	\$0.05	\$0.15	\$0.25	\$0.75	\$2.50
Extra Early Red .....	.05	.15	.25	.80	3.00
Extra Early Barletta Pickle Onion .....	.05	.15	.25	1.00	3.75

Four packets any variety of Onions we offer for 20c.

**ONION SETS.** For early green onions plant our onion sets; they will grow quickly and give a fine supply of small green onions to eat raw. They are appetizing and healthy. A very necessary part of our spring food. Plant in rows 1½ foot or more apart, put sets three inches apart in rows. Silver Skin, 1 lb. 35c, 3 lbs. 75c, 8 lbs. \$1.75. Yellow Danvers, lb. 35c, 3 lbs. 75c, 8 lbs. \$1.75. Red Globe, 1 lb. 35c, 3 lbs. 75c, 8 lbs. \$1.75, not prepaid.

We have Bermuda and Extra Early White Pearl sets for fall planting, ready September 1st.



PERKINS MAMMOTH.

**OKRA.** Two oz. to 100 foot of row, 8 lb. per acre. Prepare land as for cotton and plant at same time. Write for prices and quantity.

**DWARF GEORGIA FAVORITE.** Extra early maturing dwarf, giant podded Okra, also extra prolific, making an immense crop of long green pods almost free from ridges. The quality is very fine, and is a favorite wherever offered for sale. Grows 3 feet high and is full of pods from the ground to top. This is the best green okra we have ever seen and we have planted for years in our trials hundreds of special selections. We strongly advise all gardeners for home or market to plant at least half of their crop in this selection. It is perfect for home use and for shipping. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**WHITE VELVET.** This is the best white podded okra, round, smooth, tender pods and prolific. Our stock of this variety has been carefully improved and well selected. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 65c.

**KLECKLEY FAVORITE.** This is a good selection, both for quality and yield. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 75c.

**IMPROVED PERKINS MAMMOTH OKRA.** We have developed a wonderful selection of this old time favorite, that is a giant in size and yield. It begins to bear at the ground and continues to grow and put on pods that are tender, highly flavored and very large, the color is a deep dark green and are often 10 inches long and very slim. The plant grows 6 feet tall. The pods are ready in 60 days or better. It is very popular as a shipper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 20c, lb. 65c.

**MUSTARD.** This is one of the most popular salad plants and almost every gardener is familiar with it. Very easy to grow; ready to eat 5 weeks from sowing. Use 1 oz. seed 200 feet row.

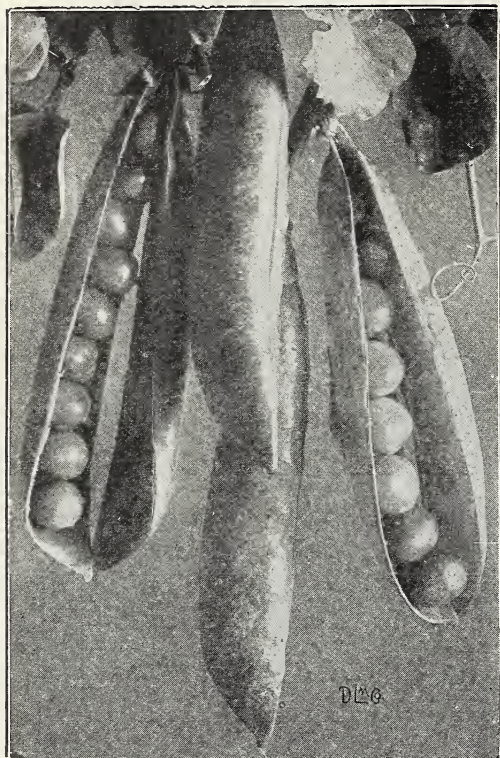
**CHINESE.** A splendid selection from China; very large, thick, broad, tender leaves; fine flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. 90c.

**GIANT SOUTHERN CURLED OR OSTRICH PLUME.** This originated in the South and is one of the best salad plants ever grown. Our selection of this splendid variety is extra fine. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 90c.

**WHITE.** The seed of this variety is large and the color yellow, the seed are used for pickling, or when ground make the yellow commercial mustard. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, ¼ lb. 25c, lb. 90c.

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.





IMPROVED TELEPHONE.

**IMPROVED TELEPHONE.** On account of its beautiful large pods and high quality, one of the leading peas with market gardeners. Vines are vigorous, growing about 4 feet high, with large, coarse, light colored leaves, and producing an abundance of very large pods filled with immense peas, which are tender, sweet and of excellent flavor. It is one of the best sorts for either home or market. No pea has attained greater popularity than this, thus showing that it has sterling merit. Our stock can be depended upon to be true and pure and to produce fine, large pods. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$3.00.

**GRADUS OR PROSPERITY.** One of the finest for family use. This remarkable pea is not only large and of the best quality, but it is nearly or quite as early as the small, round, extra early sorts. It is a wrinkled pea with vine growing about 20 inches high. The pods are bright green color; measure 4 inches or more in length, and are well filled with luscious peas—8 to 10 or more in a pod. Of the highest table quality and retain in a remarkable manner their color and attractive appearance after cooking. A grand pea in all respects. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$3.00.

**CHAMPION OF ENGLAND.** Although this is one of the oldest of the tall growing late peas, it is universally admitted to be one of the richest and best flavored varieties. There is no other pea as sweet as this. The vines grow almost five feet high, are vigorous and produce large pods of luscious peas in the greatest abundance. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.00, not prepaid.

**THOMAS LAXTON.** This pea, a cross between the Gradus and a Smooth early maturing variety, while practically new in this section, is fast gaining in popularity among all truck growers, and is proving one of the best that is grown here. Is a heavy yielder, has long, straight, green pods well filled. Is wrinkled when dry and among the earliest of this class. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c, 2 lbs. 65c, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$3.00.

**BLACK EYE MARROWFAT.** A large, tall growing, late maturing variety that will furnish more pickings and stay green longer than any other variety. Is planted in some of the truck sections in the winter as a cover crop and soil builder, at the same time producing large yields of peas of very good quality. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 50, postpaid. By express, not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$2.00.

**BLISS EVERBEARING.** The home garden pea. Very stiff branching growth, and when properly hilled stands well without support. Is best planted in double rows 8 inches apart. It is a pea of extra fine quality for main crop and is truly everbearing. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c, 1 lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 75c, postpaid; 15 lbs. \$3.00.

## Mixson's Garden Peas

### SUPERIOR QUALITY.

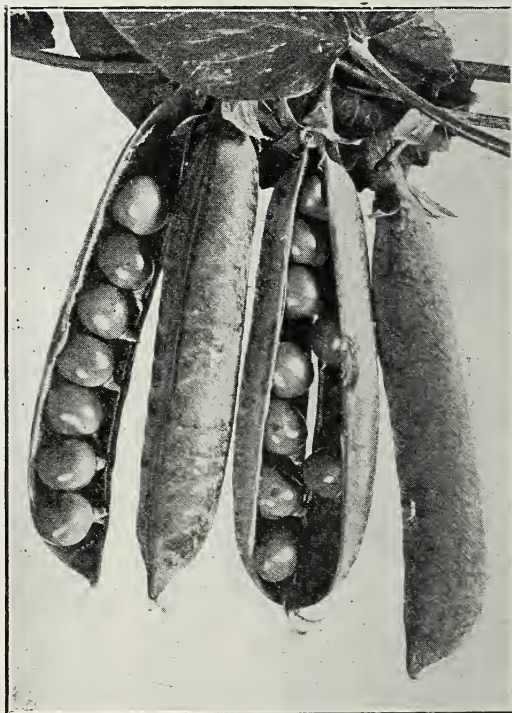
**Culture.**—In this latitude the extra early smooth seed varieties may be planted quite early, as it takes a hard freeze to kill them. Begin planting early in January, and for a succession planting may be made at intervals of ten days or two weeks until the middle of March, after which we recommend taller growing wrinkled varieties. The wrinkled varieties should not be planted until the ground begins to get warm, as they are most apt to rot in the ground if it is cold and very damp. The extra earlies should be planted thickly in drills, 1 quart to each 100 feet, and covered about two inches. Cultivate clean and when they begin to bloom draw the earth well up to the plants. The tall wrinkled sorts, like the Bliss Everbearing, may be planted in double rows six inches apart, leaving about 2½ feet between the double rows. Being rather stiff they will support each other, thus doing away with the necessity of "brushing" or "sticking." Very tall varieties like the Champion of England, Telephone and Marrowfat should be "brushed." Use nothing but well-rotted manure, or, if this is not obtainable, use commercial fertilizer. Avoid fresh manure or you will have a rank growth of vine and few peas. In using fertilizer, do not let the seed come in direct contact with it or they will not germinate.

**MIXSON'S HIGH-GRADE EXTRA EARLY.** The earliest of all and especially adapted to our Southern soils and climatic conditions. The best pea of its class for Southern plantings. Very strong, vigorous grower, a heavy bearer of good sized pods crowded with well-developed peas of good quality. It comes quick and bears heavy. A most excellent variety for the market gardener, the canner or the home garden. Grows without brushing. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 55c, postpaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$3.00. Ask for special quotation on bushel or more.

**FIRST AND BEST.** Also sold under name of First of All, Philadelphia Extra Early. First in the Market, etc. In earliness it comes a few days ahead of the Alaska. It is a very good market and home garden variety. Can be grown without brushing. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 55c, postpaid. By express or freight, not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$2.75. Ask for special quotation on bushel or more.

**ALASKA.** A variety of remarkable earliness and hardiness. It is a good yielder and produces pods of good size and dark green color, which are well filled with round, smooth peas of splendid flavor. Height, 2 feet. The color of the dried pea is green. It ripens very evenly, so that one picking will nearly clean off the crop. We advise our market gardeners to give this variety a trial. Ready for the table in 48 days. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid. Not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$2.75. Ask for special quotation on bushel or more.

**AMEER.** Called in the South, Large Alaska; once used, always used. Height 18 to 20 in.; habit, dwarf, stocky and vigorous; color, dark green. The most robust grower we know of; an important variety. This Pea comes in about the same time as the Gradus, not so large, but twice as prolific; just the pea for the market or private gardener. Give it a trial. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c, 1 lb. 30c, 2 lbs. 60c, postpaid. By express or freight, not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$3.50. Ask for special quotation on bushel or more.



THOMAS LAXTON PEAS.



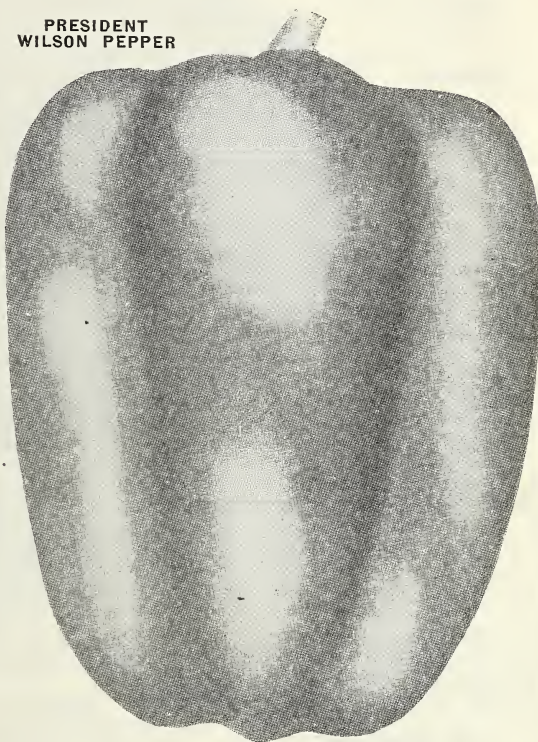


## Mixson's High-Grade Peppers

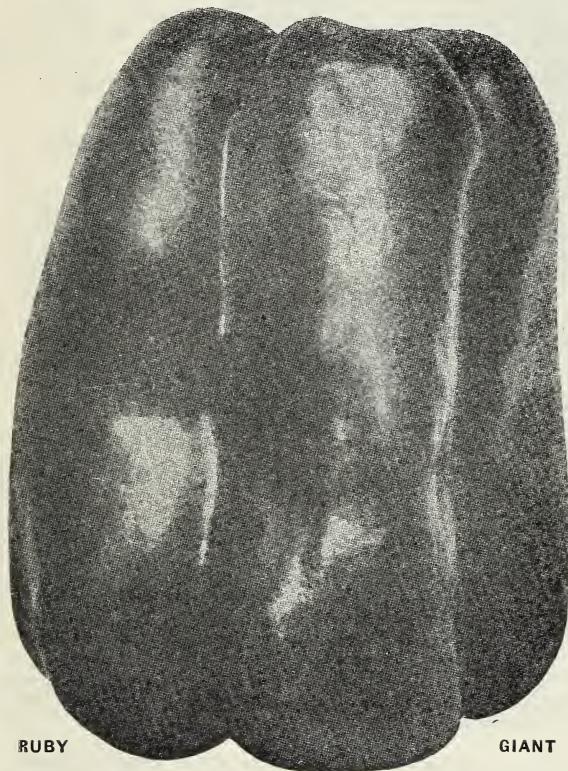
No garden is complete without the splendid Giant Peppers, for salad or to be stuffed, etc., and the small hot peppers for flavoring. This is one of our most important lines. The amount of seed we supply to truckers year after year is proof positive of the perfect satisfaction our very select seed is giving. For home garden or market you will find this seed unusually reliable. Best to plant seed in box or hotbed, then transplant. 1 oz. should make 1,000 plants.

**MIXSON'S PRESIDENT WILSON PEPPER.** This pepper was originated in Georgia and named Royal King. It is more than King, and as President Wilson has about put all of the royalty and kings out of business, we are taking the liberty of giving this great variety a far better name. You must have some of this variety in your garden. It is the most perfectly developed large or giant sweet pepper. It is very mild, thick meat and tender. Plants are strong, stocky, large and prolific. The crop is uniform in size. For home market or shipping it is a big money maker. Our seed is direct from originator—pure, strong germinating. The seed and the result will please you. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 30c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25.

PRESIDENT  
WILSON PEPPER



3  
Pkts.  
Pres. Wilson,  
Ruby Giant,  
Pimento—  
25c.



RUBY

GIANT

**RUBY GIANT.** Is a variety that grows so large that it is a curiosity. The quality is excellent, has thick meat, which is sweet and tender. The bush is large and strong, carries its great crop without trouble. The fruit and the plant is larger than any other variety; is early and prolific, vigorous and persistent in growth. It is a quick seller on market and attracts a great deal of attention, because of its size. It ripens to a bright scarlet. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25.

**PIMENTO.** This pepper and its splendid quality must now be known to every gardener. It is one of the most popular selections ever introduced. Entirely different in shape from any other, with meat twice as thick and mildest flavor. The best for canning. Our Southern grown seed is the best to plant. For every purpose a sweet pepper may be used for you will find Pimento satisfactory. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00.

**RED CHILI.** Hot, pungent, short red pepper. Pkt. 10c, oz. 45c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.45.

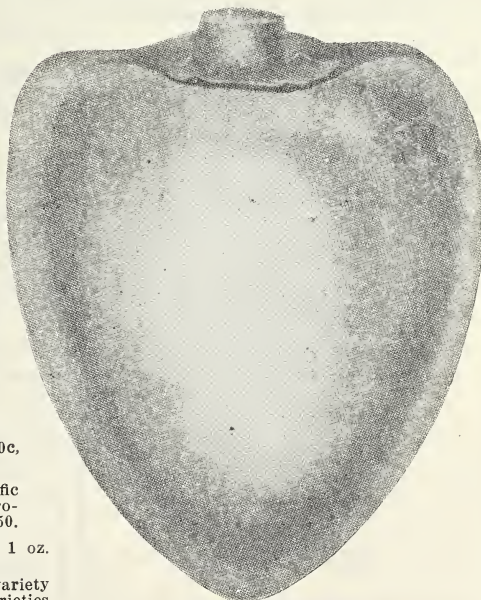
**LONG CAYENNE.** Is the best long, hot red pepper. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c, oz. 45c.

**GOLDEN PRIZE.** This is a fine, bright yellow sweet pepper. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c, oz. 40c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50.

**CHINESE GIANT.** This is one of the popular mammoth peppers, mild flavored, prolific bearer, very popular for home market and shipping. Our stock of this variety is produced by one of the best pepper seed specialists. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c, oz. 50c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50.

**BELL or BULL NOSE.** The old favorite large bell sweet pepper. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, 1 oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25.

**MIXED PEPPER.** In order to provide the small home gardener with a complete variety of peppers, both hot and sweet, we have made up this special mixture of all varieties which is just the thing for a very small garden. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.



PERFECTION PIMENTO



# W. H. Mixson's Great "New Rose" Irish Potato

Seven  
Special  
Points of  
Superiority  
in this  
Splendid  
Potato



The New  
Sure and  
Safe  
Potato  
This will  
be its  
Eighth  
Successful  
Season

1. For Home Use.
2. For Shipping.
3. For Big Yield.
4. For standing all sorts of weather.
5. Freeness from disease.
6. For Sure Crops.
7. For Fine Quality.

**Plant Mixson's  
NEW ROSE**

**The Potato  
That Will  
Please You  
in  
Production  
and Profit.**

This is the finest ROSE POTATO in existence today. The ROSE has always been a good, reliable, practical potato, popular and sure yielding from coast to coast, from Canada to the Gulf. Everywhere that GOOD potatoes are grown old potato growers have planted and know the Roses—the Houlton Rose and the Spaulding Rose. The Houlton is early; the Spaulding is late and extra prolific. Mixson's **NEW ROSE** is better than either one. It is far more prolific than either Houlton or Spaulding; is ten days earlier than Spaulding and will **TURN OUT 5 TO 15 BBLs. MORE AN ACRE.**

Mixson's **NEW ROSE** is of fine uniform size, splendid appearance. Much of its value lies in the fact that it is the **BEST SHIPPER** on the market, **EXCEPTING NONE.** The vines are unusually vigorous, this is because this selection is newer and stronger than the older ones; new blood and new life have been developed in it. This unusual vigor helps it to stand very hot, dry weather and unfavorable conditions better than other varieties.

Mixson's **NEW ROSE** is not an experiment; it is a **GRAND SUCCESS**, as you can easily judge from the fact that we are now selling the seed by the carload to big truckers near Charleston.

There is a reason for this, too, as for everything. Our **NEW ROSE** is really **NEW**—it is a wonderful selection from over a thousand seedlings. Mr. Mixson has given this Potato business his personal attention. To produce fine Potato Seed is his hobby and he has been going North every year for a long while to personally see that his special selections were being given the best of attention. Our seed are selected and graded right at the farm, the crops are grown from special seed and grown exclusively **FOR** seed, the culls are sold to buyers who handle them for eating potatoes.

**PERFECT POTATO SATISFACTION** for carload shipments grown any place in the South or for home use, is what you are sure of getting when you plant this splendid potato—**MIXSON'S NEW ROSE**—remember the name. Our 1919 crop of seed is of fine quality and will surely please you. 4 lbs., postpaid, 60c; peck (15 lbs.) 90c; bu. (60 lbs.) \$3.50, 150 lb. sack, \$7.50, not prepaid. **ASK FOR PRICE IN LARGE QUANTITY.**

**THE CHEAPEST WAY TO KILL POTATO BUGS** is to dust the plants as soon as they are a couple of inches high, with **CORONA DRY ARSENATE OF LEAD.** This is the safest, surest, easiest, cheapest way to protect your potato crop. This provides absolute safety.

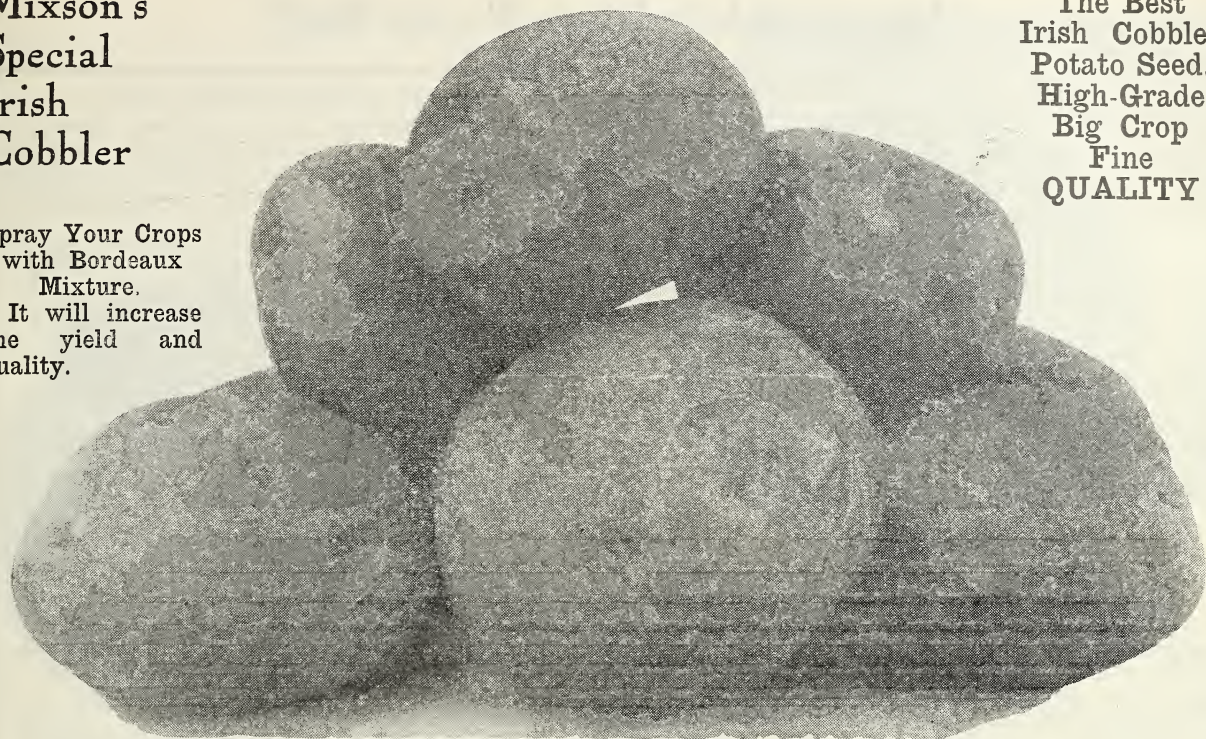


# Mixson's Special Irish Cobbler

The Best  
Irish Cobbler  
Potato Seed.  
High-Grade  
Big Crop  
Fine  
QUALITY

Spray Your Crops  
with Bordeaux  
Mixture.

It will increase  
the yield and  
quality.



**THIS SPLENDID SELECTION OF THE GREAT IRISH COBBLER POTATO** has given our customers the most profitable crops they have ever grown of this variety. This selection is a special product carefully improved for yield and quality by individual hill selection for the past four years, so that we could offer Southern truckers and growers better seed of this variety. You will find this selection of extraordinary value. It will, without doubt, make you the best crop you have ever made of this well-known and popular potato. **If you plant Irish Cobbler, plant Mixson's Special.**

**IRISH COBBLER.** Is a great potato in every way that you want a potato to be great. It is prolific, the quality is excellent, it keeps well, is very hardy and persistent in growth. It is a fine all-round potato, as almost every gardener and farmer knows. The seed planted for our 1919 crop was of excellent quality and you should have seen the quality of the crop and the yield they made. It would have convinced you of their extra yielding quality, if you had seen the way they were piled up in the row, behind the potato digger as it traveled across the field. This seed is right up to the highest standard, the truest type of genuine Irish Cobbler. This potato is in great demand, immense quantities are planted for shipping, because it is such a sure yielder, looks so good when sent to market and is so perfect when cooked. Mr. Mixson has given special attention to the market gardener's trade and for home gardeners, too. You will, therefore, find our stock to be the safest and most dependable to plant. Price, 4 lbs., postpaid, 60c; not prepaid,  $\frac{1}{4}$  bu. 90c, 1 bu. \$3.50, 1 bag \$7.50.

**SPAULDING'S ROSE 4.** This is a heavy yielding potato, hardy, looks good and ships to any distant market. This potato is popular in Florida for shipping and is grown around Charleston for this purpose, but not so much as in the past because Mixson's New Rose is a better potato in every way. Our Rose 4 Seed is high standard seed and is sure to please. We can supply in any quantity from a peck to a carload for prompt shipment and our price is right for the first quality seed we have. Price, 15 lbs. 90c, 60 lbs. \$3.50, 150 lbs. \$7.50. Wire or write for wholesale price.

**HOULTON EARLY ROSE.** This is one of the most popular varieties used in the South and is a standard sort. Many people have planted it for years and will have no other. If you are one of these we can supply you with the highest grade stock of this variety, grown in Maine. The Early Rose is an oblong potato with a pinkish skin. Peck 90c, bushel \$3.50. Sack about \$7.50.





## Mixson's High-Grade Potato Seed

### BLISS RED TRIUMPH.



Mixson's Pure Bred Triumph is the most Prolific, Earliest, Finest Seed of this Variety that is Produced.

**EXTRA EARLY BLISS RED TRIUMPH.** Most everybody in the South knows the old Red Bliss, the beautiful red-skinned potato. It is not grown so much now as it used to be, because other varieties, which yield more and are of better quality have taken the lead. A great many, though, prefer Red Bliss and are very particular about it; therefore, Mr. Mixson has been giving special attention to the careful selecting and improving of this seed. Our 1919 seed crops of this variety are of uniform good quality and you can depend on this seed in every way to give you the best possible crop. Price, peek (15 lbs.) 90c, bu. \$3.50, 150 lb. bag \$7.50.

### FOOD ENEMIES.

Don't let the insects, bugs and fungus diseases reduce your yield or completely ruin your vegetables. We can supply promptly and cheaply the material to destroy quickly and easily insects of all kinds on all plants. Our little instruction booklet is sent FREE on APPLICATION with or without an order for seed. You should have it, for it is a LIFE GUARANTEE to your garden and field crops or house plants.

Arsenate of Lead will save your Potato crop from the Bugs. Easy and safe to apply. Send for instructions. See Page

### HYBRIDIZED POTATO SEED

FROM THE SEED BALLS—Headquarters Stock.

Millions never saw a Potato Seed Ball. Thousands have tried in vain to get the seed. Now is your opportunity. This unrivaled seed will produce an endless variety of new kinds. Your fortune may be in one of them. They are as easy to grow as tomatoes.

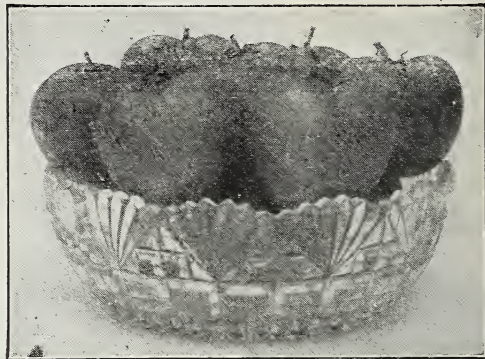


Photo of Potato Seed Balls—One-half Natural Size.

It is from these that ALL valuable new varieties of Potatoes are produced.

Growing new and distinct Seedling Potatoes from the Seed Ball Seed is intensely interesting. They will be the greatest curiosity of your garden. This seed will positively produce innumerable new kinds, colors, shapes, sizes, and qualities. The product will astonish you. Some may be of immense value and bring you a golden harvest. Every farmer, gardener, and bright boy should plant a few packets. You may be one of the lucky ones. Full directions on every packet.

**READ THESE EXTRACTS from CUSTOMER'S LETTERS**  
"I grew 101 Potatoes from one plant of your Potato Seed. Every plant was a different variety." Mrs. Ellen Keener.

"I raised 50 hills from one packet; many kinds and colors; some early, some late. 94 potatoes in one hill." J. H. Skinner.

"Your remarkable Potato Seed produced white, pink, red, purple, blue, cream, russet, and black potatoes." W. M. Johnson.

"Your Potato Seed is a wonder. I grew 115 different varieties from one Packet—the finest I ever saw." C. E. Flint.

"I grew 45 pounds of Seedling Potatoes from one packet. I expect wonders from them next year." Thomas Lucas.

Packet 15cts. 2 for 25c. 5 for 50c. 100 for \$1.

## SEED FOR SECOND OR FALL CROP.

### Green Mountain.

This is a potato of the finest quality. Its flavor, its whiteness when cooked, and fine-grained texture, have made it wherever tried, one of the most popular of all potatoes for late spring crop or fall crop. It is very prolific and keeps the longest time in perfect condition.

Price, 15 lbs. 75c, 60 lbs. \$3.00, 150 lbs. \$7.00.

### Peach Blow.

Is one of the very best potatoes for late crop. Very prolific, vigorous and healthy. Dry weather and excessive heat do not affect it as with earlier, more delicate varieties. Very attractive in appearance. Keeps well after digging and ships in good condition. One of the best for a fall crop.

Price, 15 lbs. 90c, 60 lbs. \$3.50, 150 lbs. \$8.00.

### Lookout Mountain.

This is a variety for summer planting only, and it seems to be better adapted for this purpose than any other sort. It is very popular all over the South and is very largely in demand. Flesh is pure white and the quality is excellent. They can be left in the ground and harvested as needed. In this way there will be practically no loss. Write for price.

We Will also Have Seed From Spring Crop of Cobbler and Bliss. Write for Price on Fall Crop Seed, June 1st to July 30th.

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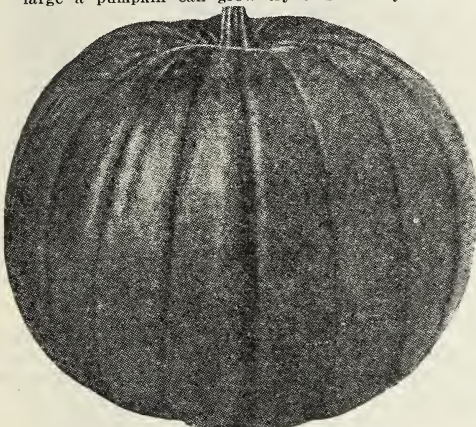


## Pumpkins

PLANT PUMPKINS IN YOUR CORN FIELD.

**Culture.**—When the seed is planted with corn, plant only one row in five, which, when the vines begin to run, may be omitted in cultivation, and thus the plants will not be injured. Plant three to five seeds in every third hill of corn. Plant as a single crop in hills eight feet apart each way. Use Paris Green and Powdered Arsenate of Lead to control the striped squash bugs. When well established, thin to four plants in each hill. One ounce of seed will make 25 hills, four pounds seed required for an acre.

**MIXSON'S MAMMOTH JUMBO.** The largest pumpkin grown. Will weigh over 200 lbs. A prize winner. The flesh is fine grained and the quality is excellent. The flesh and skin are a bright golden yellow. Notwithstanding its large size, it is a fine variety for pies and is a splendid keeper. If you wish to see just how large a pumpkin can grow try this variety. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50, postpaid.



MIXSON'S MAMMOTH JUMBO PUMPKIN

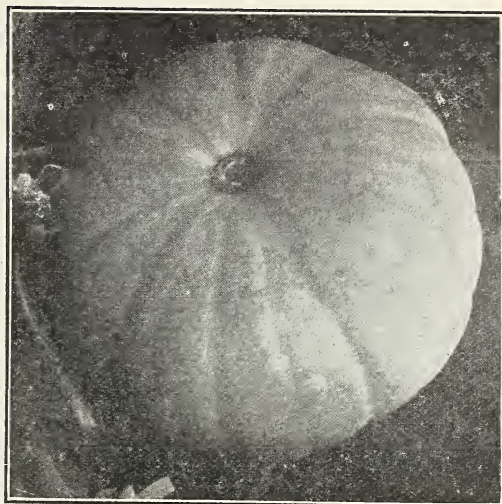
**LARGE CHEESE.** Large, round, flattened. About two feet in diameter. A fine keeper. Thick flesh of extra quality. A fine sort for family and market use. It is also grown quite extensively for stock feeding. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**TENNESSEE SWEET POTATO.** Our large yellow stock pumpkin so generally grown in Georgia. Very productive and a good keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**JAPANESE PIE.** One of our best varieties. Bell-shaped and slightly ribbed; productive and splendid keeper. Fine quality. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.60, postpaid.

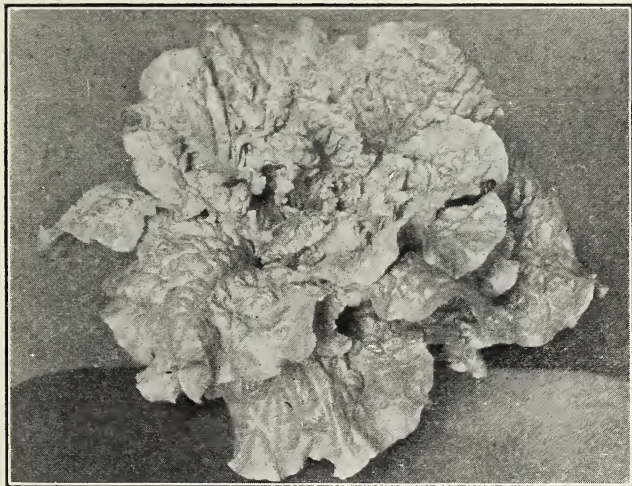
**CUSHAW OR CROOKNECK.** The old standard and popular Crookneck Cushaw. By mail, postpaid, pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50.

**SOUTHERN FIELD.** An immensely productive, large, orange-colored, field pumpkin, usually grown for stock-feeding, but it also makes good pies. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 90c, postpaid.



LARGE CHEESE PUMPKIN

## Mixson's High-Grade Spinach Seed



BLOOMSDALE SAVOY SPINACH

**JAPANESE SPINACH.** This is a wonderful oriental Spinach that will stand the summer heat, and may be sown in Spring or Fall. The leaves grow 10 and 15 inches long, are thick, smooth and light green in color. This is a selection that every one should plant this summer. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 80c.

**NEW ZEALAND.** This is a variety of Spinach that will stand the hottest summer weather, and as you cut off the tender leaves others rapidly grow, thus furnishing splendid greens all summer. It furnishes an enormous amount of green food and is often planted by chicken fanciers for their flocks. Best to soak seed before planting. Sow 2 oz. to 100 feet of row. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c.

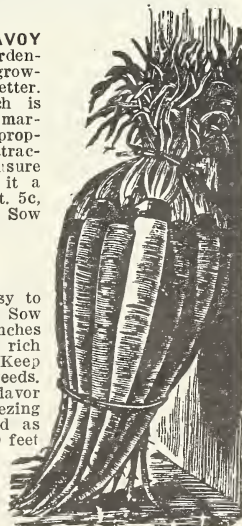
**Culture.**—Spinach should be sown for spring in January, February, March; for winter sow as soon as the nights get cooler, after September 1st, as Spinach seed will not germinate well in hot weather. Spinach must have rich soil—it is then easy to grow, and one of the best flavored of all greens or salad plants. Spinach contains a larger percentage of iron than other greens and for this reason is fine for the blood and probably the most valuable of green salad plants in a medicinal way. Every garden should have several rows of Spinach where there is room.

**TRUE BLOOMSDALE CURLED SAVOY SPINACH.** Many thousands of gardeners find profitable employment in growing Spinach, and no crop pays better. Our stock of Curled Savoy Spinach is the truest and most beautiful on the market. Its growth is rapid, the leaf is properly curled, which gives it a very attractive appearance, and causes it to measure better than other sorts, and makes it a favorite with the largest growers. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 50c, postpaid. Sow 1 oz. to 100 ft. row.

### SALSIFY

This is a splendid vegetable and easy to grow; also easy to cook and serve. Sow seed in spring, having rows 18 inches apart, cover  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch. Have soil rich and worked down deep and fine. Keep soil loose and free from grass or weeds. Allow to grow until frost, as the flavor is best after frost and during freezing weather. May be pulled and used as wanted all winter. Sow 1 oz. to 100 feet of drill.

**MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND** is the variety to plant. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c.



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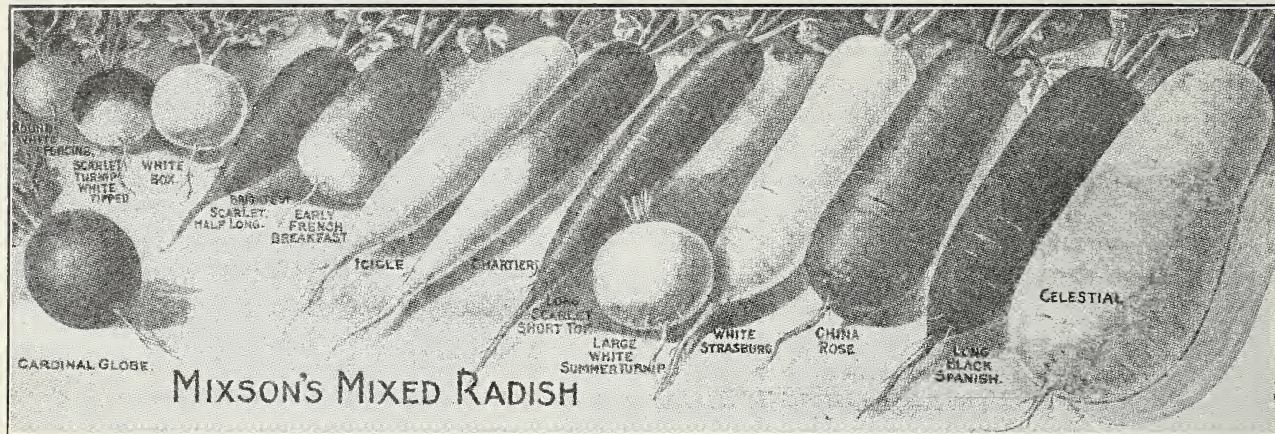
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## Mixson's High-Grade Radish Seed

**Culture.**—To be good the radish must be grown quickly, this requires a rich, loose, moist soil. For a continuous supply sow seed every 10

days. Sow thinly in drills one foot apart, cover seed  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch. 1 oz. for 100 foot of row.



### MIXSON'S MIXED RADISH

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This is the highest grade mixture of radish seed ever offered, it is made of the finest selection and is the best way to buy for small home garden. First plant one short row, sow very thin, then in 10 days sow another, this will give you fine tender radishes all of the time. A packet of ounce of this mixture should be included in every order if you like radish. Pkt. 5c, 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.25.

We can also supply each variety separate. See price below.

**JAPANESE RADISH—SAKURAJIMA.** Immense size and good quality. Some weigh 15 lbs. Oval shape, cream color skin, white flesh, cook like turnips, but not strong. Sow in April and May. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c, lb. \$2.00.

**CARDINAL GLOBE OR EARLY SCARLET TURNIP.** (See cut). Those who like the crisp little Radishes that come so early, will be pleased with this variety. The radishes grow globular in shape, and are of a most brilliant cardinal red color. It will stand considerable heat, therefore it is a quick forcer, and the quality is fine, being crisp and tender. It is by far the best variety for forcing, and also does well in open ground. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**ROSY GEM RADISH.** Also known as White Tipped Scarlet Ball. This is the favorite among our market gardeners for forcing, as well as for open ground growth. We have seen it ready for market here in eighteen days from the time the seed was sown. It is also very desirable for home gardens, being almost identical with our Cardinal Globe except in the white shading at base of the root. It is one of our earliest varieties. Globe shape, with rich deep scarlet top, shading to pure white at the bottom. Very tender and crisp, never becoming hollow or pithy until very old. Packet 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**IMPROVED FRENCH BREAKFAST.** A medium sized radish, olive shaped, small top, of quick growth, very crisp and tender, a beautiful scarlet color except near the tip, which is pure white. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**LONG WHITE ICICLE RADISH.** Excellent and profitable; a new and distinct sort. Ready for use soon as Early Long Scarlet, and has fewer leaves. Admirable alike for open air and under glass. The Icicle Radish is perfectly white in color, and long, slender and tapering in shape. It quickly grows to market size, is crisp and brittle, and of mild, sweet flavor. It remains tender during the entire growing period and is quite as good when an inch in diameter as when only half an inch. A fine variety for both market and home gardeners who want an early, long white radish. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c, lb. \$1.45, postpaid.

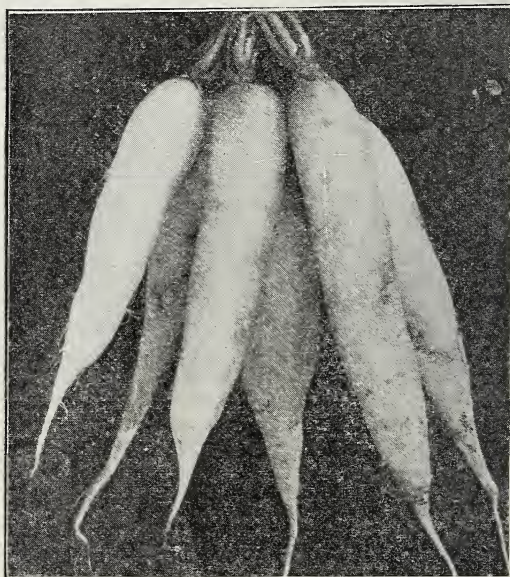
**EARLY LONG SCARLET.** This is the most popular of all radishes in the South for the general garden use and market. It's a favorite everywhere, no vegetable garden being complete without it. Tops rather small, roots long and tapering to a decided point; color an intense bright scarlet. Flesh is very crisp and tender and when grown rapidly, as all radishes should be, it is free from all pungent taste. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**ROUND WHITE FORCING—SCARLET TURNIP WHITE TIPPED—WHITE BOX—HALF LONG—BRIGHT SCARLET—CHARTIER—CALIFORNIA LARGE WHITE SUMMER TURNIP—WHITE STRASSBURG—CELESTIAL.** Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c, lb. \$1.60.

## Winter Radishes

**CHINESE ROSE.** Standard variety; bright rose color; flesh firm, crisp, tender, quite pungent. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

**ROUND BLACK SPANISH.** Skin black, flesh white; highly flavored. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.10, postpaid.



LONG WHITE ICICLE RADISH

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.





## Mixson's High-Grade Squash Seed

**Culture.**—Plant only when danger of frost is past. Prepare the soil thoroughly and make it rich. Plant bush varieties 3 feet apart each way. Eight seed to each hill. Cover 1 inch. When rough leaves are formed thin out, leave two plants. Keep the ground free from weeds and grass by

**FIRST OF ALL, or IMPROVED EXTRA EARLY WHITE BUSH PROLIFIC.** This is most prolific extra early type of white bush squash. It is strong, vigorous, rapid grower, develops quickly a snow white squash of perfect shape and finest quality. The most profitable white bush squash for home, market or shipping, because it is way ahead of anything else in this class. It has developed, well-formed, marketable fruits two weeks earlier than Early White Bush. It is the biggest money-maker of this class, bearing two and three times as many as the old type. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

**MAMMOTH WHITE BUSH.** Is nearly double the size of Early White Bush—Patty Pan—very uniform in size, prolific and fine quality; grows to 12 inches in diameter. O. K. for home garden or shipping. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

**EARLY WHITE BUSH.** The well-known White Scalloped or Patty Pan Squash. Early, very productive, of light cream color. Popular for Northern shipments for both fall and spring crops. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

**EARLY YELLOW SUMMER CROOKNECK.** An old standby; always a favorite in both home and market gardens. Fruits rather small; of bright orange color. Flavor very rich and buttery, the richest of all summer squashes. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, \$1.25, postpaid.

frequent light hoeing. Do not disturb plants, except to pick squash, which should be kept picked off as soon as ripe. Plant running squash, which mature for winter use, in June and July. Hill 9 feet apart each way. 1 oz. seed 25 hills, 3 lbs. per acre.

**EARLY YELLOW BUSH, or Golden.** This is very much like the White Bush, except the color. It matures early, meat is rich yellow, fine and sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

**GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK SQUASH.** In our Giant Crookneck we have a variety containing all of the good qualities of the Crookneck class and at the same time giving double the size of the Old Yellow Summer Crookneck. For market gardeners it is especially desirable. Like the Mammoth White Bush, it is too large to ship. With this variety you can get double the yield from the same area that you do with the other sorts. We recommend it without reserve to our customers. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.50, postpaid.

**HUBBARD.** Most largely planted winter variety. Flesh rich, very fine grained and sweet. Cooks up dry and is a perfect table variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, \$1.25.

**BOSTON MARROW.** Oval, fine grained, orange fleshed. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

**MIXED SQUASH.** All varieties. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. \$1.00.

**COCOZELLE, or ITALIAN SQUASH.** Grows large, oblong shape, dark green color at first, but when ripe is marbled with light green and yellow stripes. When sliced and fried in oil it is a vegetable delicacy superior to egg plant. This is an excellent squash and should be in every garden. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c, lb. \$1.50.



YELLOW BUSH SQUASH

MIXSON'S EARLY WHITE BUSH SQUASH

YELLOW CROOK-NECK SQUASH

## Special Booklet Free Telling You All About Inoculation

If you want to know more about the inoculation of seed of leguminous plants send for free booklet telling all about it. Ask for The

Mulford Booklet, which takes the subject up in detail and shows you exactly why you can't afford not to inoculate your legume seeds.

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These preparations of the nitrogen-gathering bacteria, are put up by the H. K. Mulford Company, of Philadelphia, a concern with a world-wide reputation. These bacteria are sent out in sealed bottles, which are not ventilated nor are the bacteria given air—insurance that no outside bacteria can get in. They are "DIFFERENT" from all others on the market, being supplied in a dark, almost black culture medium instead of the common light-yellow medium. This effects more prolific growth, increases vitality and vigor and lengthens the life of the bacteria.

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We have Mulford Cultures for the inoculation of Alfalfa, Crimson Clover, Sweet Clover, White Clover, Red Clover, Alsike Clover, Bur Clover, Cow Peas, Soy Beans, Peanuts, Vetch, Velvet Beans, Beggweed, Lespedeza or Japan Clover, Sweet Peas, Garden Peas, Garden Beans, Lima Beans.

**PRICE**—One-acre size bottle, \$1.50; 5-acre size bottle, \$5.00; Garden or  $\frac{1}{4}$  acre size bottle, 50 cents, postpaid. Specify the crop you want to use it on.





## Mixson's Earliest of All Tomato

First in the market for the past seven years, this is the most reliable and profitable extra early tomato for the South that has ever been sold. This is the tomato that you can depend on to ripen the first fruit, and they are good ones, too; beautiful smooth pink fruit. Fine flavor, solid meat, very prolific, healthy and hardy. Unlike other extra early selections it is a very long-lived, vigorous tomato, bearing later into the summer and keeping up the fine quality of its fruit much later than others. Of the hundreds of selections we have tried out on Ferndale Farm, this has beaten them all for earliness, quality and profit. From every part of the South we have received letters of praise. We have room here for only a few of the many received. You will be just as well pleased. Remember that it is the best First Crop or Extra Early Tomato.

This selection will certainly satisfy you in every way. Don't fail to include Mixson's Earliest of All in your order. It grows to a nice size and very uniform, smooth skin, meat firm, color pink, very few seed. Matures early and grows somewhat like Earliana, except it is pink, while Earliana is red. Our Earliest of All will please the most critical home gardener or market customer. The demand for this seed the second year after we introduced it and it became known, was so great that we could not fill the orders, and each year our sales have rapidly increased as the reputation of this splendid tomato has spread. Hundreds of testimonials from customers all over the South testify and prove its value. We give here as many of these as we have space to spare. Price, Pkt. 10c, 1/2 oz. 20c, oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. \$1.25, lb. \$4.50.

Cottageville, S. C., Oct. 2, 1917. "The Earliest of All Tomato seed that I planted were all right and I think every one of them must have germinated. The plants were hardy and grew well. The fruit was smooth and of fine flavor and it began ripening several weeks earlier than the other variety that I had planted. I consider it a very good tomato."

(Signed.) George K. Way.

Mantee, Miss., Oct. 8, 1917. "Your Earliest of All Tomatoes are fine. They are extra early and a fine tomato."

(Signed.) Mrs. G. B. Pepper.

Opelousas, La., Oct. 14, 1917. "I can cheerfully recommend your Earliest of All Tomato as an early tomato and a continuous bearer. I am still using tomatoes from my spring planting and the vines are full of green tomatoes at this writing."

(Signed.) T. W. Caldwell.

Macon, Ga., Oct. 16. "Mixson's Earliest of All Tomato was planted in my garden last spring for the first time and proved its name to be true. It has met every claim made for it by you. It is a good bearer, of good flavor, and a splendid tomato. A few of the vines are still bearing."

(Signed.) Rev. J. E. Sampley.

Atoka, Tenn., Oct. 3, 1917. "Your Earliest of All Tomatoes are certainly earliest of all. I had tomatoes some time before any of my neighbors, except some that I gave plants to. They are a nice size, smooth tomato and are bearing yet."

(Signed.) Mrs. J. C. Hindman.

Tryon, N. C., Oct. 3, 1917. "I have tried several kinds of tomatoes this year, but like your Mixson's Earliest of All better than any. Besides being early they yield a great many to each plant. Wishing you much success."

(Signed.) Mrs. R. F. Belue.

Oktibbeha County, Miss., March 3, 1919. "Find enclosed order for tomato seed and flower plants. I have planted your Earliest of All tomato and it is fine."

(Signed.) Mrs. Ida Davis.

Reevesville, S. C., Oct. 2, 1917. "My Earliest of All Tomato plants did fine. Had beautiful fruit, both early and late, and not one died of blight or wilt. I shall be glad to continue the use of your seed and gladly recommend them to my friends."

(Signed.) Mrs. G. R. Funchess.



**THE EARLIEST, MOST PROLIFIC, HEALTHY, HARDY, SURE CROP TOMATO. IT ALWAYS PLEASES THE TRUCKER OR HOME GARDENER**

Huntersville, N. C., Oct. 2, 1917. "I received the paper of Earliest of All Tomato seed last spring and was well pleased with them. We had more tomatoes and nicer ones than we have had for a long time."

(Signed.) Mrs. Ellie Irvin.

Oakdale, La. "Your Earliest of All is a very fine tomato. Has very few seed, the flesh is nearly solid, and has a good flavor."

(Signed.) A. M. Bryan.

Meriwether County, Ga., May 1, 1919. "Am pleased with results from my other seed. Send enclosed order at once."

(Signed.) Miss Addye Swearingen.

If you want a fine Extra Early Red Tomato, our stock of Earliana is as perfect as the greatest care can produce.

Where Tomatoes die or wilt, our Wilt Resistant Variety should be planted. See description.

**Culture.**—For earliest tomatoes start Mixson's Earliest of All in a hot-bed or a small box in the kitchen which may be later moved to sunny Southern porch. Plant the seed in this way a month before last frost usually occurs, and when about 4 inches high, transplant to cans, strawberry boxes or any thing that will allow each plant plenty of space to develop; this will give you stronger, healthier, plants, earlier

fruit and a greater quantity. Sow seed thinly in box and cover 1/2 inch. Transplant when danger of frost is past. The soil should be well plowed, or spaded, then raked out until perfectly pulverized. Put on a heavy application of air slacked or hydrated lime and 16 per cent. acid phosphate at rate of 1,000 lbs. per acre. Also work in well-rotted, black stable manure. Set plants 3 feet apart each way, cultivate clean. To produce the most tomatoes in a small garden and the best quality, tie vines to stake and thin out the leaves as the plants grow. Seed for fall crop should be planted in May and June. Complete Bulletin on Tomato Growing may be obtained from U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. 1 oz. seed for 1,500 plants, 1/4 lb. per acre.





# The Greatest Home Garden and Canning Tomato

## Ever Planted in the Southern States Is The Famous Dixie Tomato

**SUREST CROPPING—HEAVIEST YIELDING**

**HAS THE LARGEST NUMBER OF PERFECT FRUIT FINEST FLAVOR—MOST ATTRACTIVE APPEARANCE**

**Freest From Disease—Best Long Distance Shipper**

This is the One Tomato That Should Be Planted in Every Southern Garden; Because, it will give better satisfaction, surer results than any variety you can plant. We offer you the Genuine Pedigree Select Seed from the original grower, who is one of the greatest tomato experts in these great United States of America. We can guarantee that you will be better pleased with this tomato than any you have ever planted.

Never in all the history of tomato growing and improvement has a selection been offered that is more carefully selected, cured, packed and delivered to the planter. Perfection at every point has been the aim of both the grower, propagator and introducer. Our aim is to make Dixie the greatest money-maker main crop, all-season tomato for the small market garden, home or commercial canner and every home garden in the South.

If you want a tomato that grows right, looks right, lasts right, cans right, ships right, tastes right, costs right; if you want perfect main crop, long lasting tomato satisfaction and tomato crop insurance, PLANT DIXIE. The only tomato for the South in 1920. If a small home garden crop it should be the only one planted; if market garden or shipping, it comes in second and lasts the longest.

### PLANT DIXIE.

You will be satisfied.

We have done everything possible under the sun to make this statement of facts true and correct and to win your unqualified approval and endorsement.

DIXIE is perfectly proportioned, in size, color, flavor, yield. Its health and vigor during late cold spring and during scorching hot dry summer days, followed by scalding rain, is wonderful. The only way that you will ever fully realize its wonderful combination of the points that produce perfection, and the greatest profit, is to grow the DIXIE TOMATO this year.

### YOU WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED.

DIXIE SEED is saved by a new special process, cured perfectly, packed carefully in special packages of convenient size. You open one at a time when planting, this insures purity and vitality; prevents loss and waste.

DIXIE is not only the best, but the cheapest. There has never been a variety or selection offered at any price that could excel this great selection. If there ever was a variety of tomato worth \$50.00 a pound DIXIE is that variety; you could pay that price for it and make a big profit on your crop, but we do not charge a fancy price for it.

DIXIE is the most perfect red tomato you have ever seen; solid meat, a few small seed, fine average size for packing and shipping. Most attractive of all when canned in glass. Flavor is just the correct blend to please 99 per cent. of all who try it; fine, strong, vigorous, healthy, prolific; smooth skin; seldom cracks. Price of DIXIE—Trial pkt. 5c; second size, 10c; ½ oz. 20c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.25; lb. \$4.50, postpaid. Plants, doz. 35c; 100, \$1.50, postpaid.

**Mixson's New Blight Proof.** This is the only tomato to plant where you have had trouble

with blight or wilt. Every year there is much complaint about tomatoes dying from wilt or blight, sometimes before they bear or when full of fine fruit.

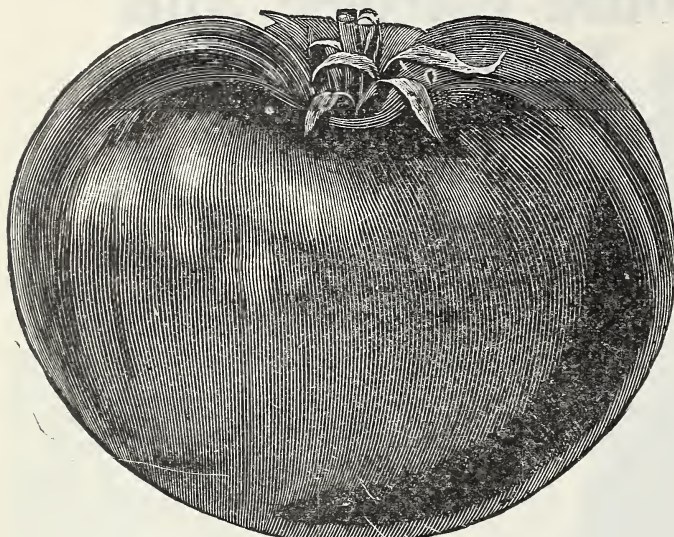
If possible, plant tomatoes on a different piece of ground and always put plenty of air slacked or hydrated lime and acid phosphate on the land. This is the only selection that can be depended on to make a crop. It is very prolific, producing a great quantity of large, red, finely flavored fruit, on wilt-infested soil. It is a good first-class tomato, too, one of the very best. They are solid and meaty. Will ship 1,500 miles in good condition and bring good price. Also good for home use raw or for canning. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 35c, ¼ lb. \$1.25, lb. \$4.50.



MIXSON'S NEW BLIGHT PROOF



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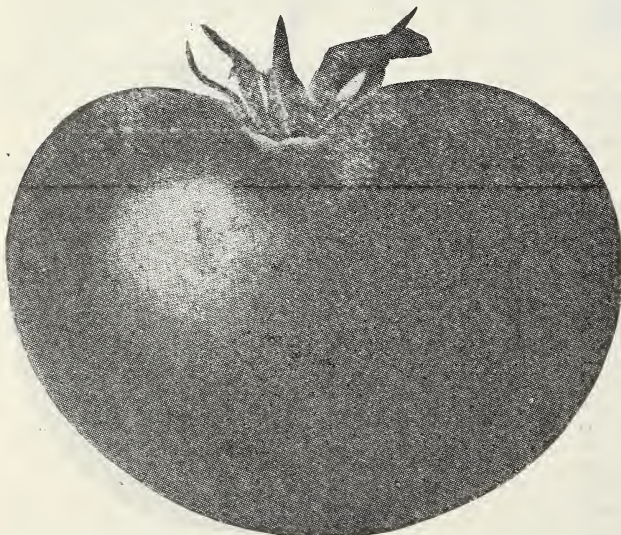


**NEW STONE TOMATO**

**OUR NEW EARLY ACME.** The old Acme Tomato was always a favorite with our customers, but it had serious faults which have been eradicated in our "New Early Acme," an early tomato that will please you. A vigorous grower with open growth, a heavy bearer that ripens evenly all over. Fruits in clusters of 3 to 5, of medium to large size. In color it is a purplish shade of red, the most desirable color for shipment or market. Has few seeds, is meaty and solid. Skin tough but thin. With its fine color, you will find it most desirable for shipment, local market or home use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c, lb. \$3.00.

**CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL.** The best of all early sorts. Within one week of being as early as the Earliana and far superior, the fruits being uniformly larger, smoother, thicker through, more solid and of much finer quality than any of the extra early tomatoes. The fruits are very deep through stem to blossom end, being almost round or ball-shaped, and from 3 to 3½ inches in diameter. The interior is very solid and fleshy with very few seeds, the seed cells being very small and the fruits nearly all solid flesh; quality is exceptionally sweet and free from acidity. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90c, lb. \$3.00.

**EARLY REDFIELD BEAUTY.** A favorite with our market garden customers and shippers, as well as for an early maturing variety for the home garden. It's early and of open growth, letting the sun to the fruit, ripening it quickly. A good general cropper. We sell this variety almost exclusively to many of the tomato shippers of Florida. In color it is a rich, glossy crimson, fruits solid and meaty with small seed cavities. Medium size with thin, tough skin. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.50, postpaid.

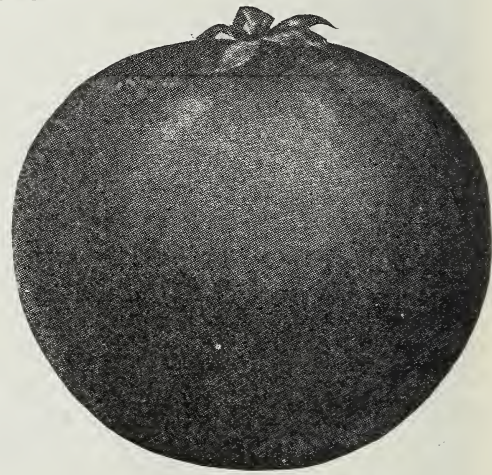


**SPARK'S EARLIANA TOMATO**

**NEW STONE.** One of the largest, most solid and meaty of all tomatoes, and especially valuable for late plantings. It has heavy foliage, thus protecting the fruits from the burning sun of late summer and early fall. It is very solid and a good shipper: smooth and uniform in growth. Color, a desirable red. Fine for canning, for its solidity and few seeds. A splendid variety for both home and market gardeners for late crops. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90c, lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

**IMPROVED SOUTHERN PONDEROSA.** A purpleish pink tomato of the largest size. Vine vigorous and very productive. Fruits very solid, with exceptionally few seeds, fairly smooth and considered of very good quality, especially by those who prefer a tomato quite free from acid. Ripens about midseason. Very desirable for slicing. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25, lb. \$5.00, postpaid.

**THE MATCHLESS.** For a first-class, general crop tomato for all purposes, there is none equal to our Matchless. It follows such varieties as Livingston's Beauty; but stays with you all summer, its dense, heavy foliage protecting the fruit from mid-summer sun. It is large, smooth and of very rich red color. Almost solid meat with very little core and small seed spaces. A strong, vigorous grower and fruits heavily, the large size holding up to the end of the season. Fine for either home use or market and unexcelled for canning. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.00, postpaid.



**LIVINGSTON'S GLOBE TOMATO**

**LIVINGSTON'S GLOBE.** A new tomato with many desirable points. Beautiful, bright, glossy, red color, fruits rather globe shaped, although many of them do not show full globe shaped form. Fine flavor and fruits very solid. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90c, lb. \$3.40, postpaid.

**SPARKS' EARLIANA.** A famous selection of the extreme extra early varieties. Plants are of open growth, letting sunlight in to the fruits. Fruit forms in clusters of 5 to 8, medium size and of deep scarlet color. This tomato is being sold under a dozen different names. We have the genuine. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c, lb. \$3.00, postpaid.

**RED ROCK.** This is one of the finest tomato selections, matures in 115 days. Very solid, smooth, well bred and is red to the center. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.00.

**DWARF CHAMPION.** This is the best tree tomato; it makes a strong bush which holds its big crop of fine tomatoes up off the ground without staking. Fruit is large, bright red, fine quality. Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.00.

**JUNE PINK.** This is a good pink selection, makes big crop of fine fruit; excellent for shipping or any purpose. Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.75.

**MANSFIELD TREE.** Produces very large, fine quality fruit and the bush is very stout, but must be staked to keep fruit off of ground. Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, \$3.75.

**EARLY DETROIT.** This is a popular and good tomato in some sections. We have seed from the original stock. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 90c, lb. \$3.00.

**GOLDEN QUEEN.** The best large yellow tomato; fine quality and prolific. Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.75.

**RED PEAR, YELLOW PEAR, YELLOW PLUM.** Extremely prolific, but small; quality is good. Is used for preserves and pickling. Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.75.

With the present price of canned Tomatoes it will certainly pay you to grow and can your own.  
**WRITE FOR INFORMATION AND HELP.**

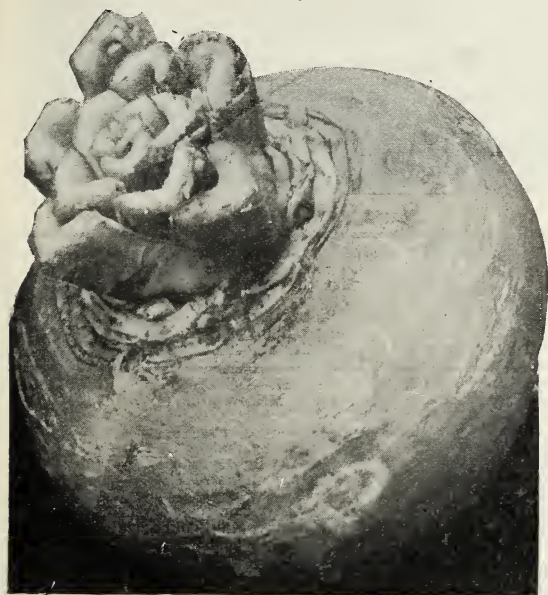




## Mixson's High-Grade Turnip Seed

**Culture.**—Of course, most turnips are planted in the fall. Many varieties may also be grown in the early spring and the quality of spring turnips is usually better than that of the Fall crop. Have the ground made rich with thoroughly rotted manure, which must be well worked into the soil, then drill the seed thinly January to March, gauge the time of sowing to the locality and season. Sow seed for Rutabaga July to September. Turnips for Fall, August to November. Along the Gulf Coast and Florida, seed may be sown all winter. 1 oz. seed 200 feet drill, 5 lb. to acre.

This is one of our big sellers. We supply thousands of pounds of this selected American grown seed to merchants, truckers and home gardeners! each year the demand increases. We take great pride in the quality of this seed and the splendid crops grown for market by our trucker customers. Here at Charleston our Improved Purple Top Yellow Rutabaga is in greatest demand as this is the main turnip crop of the truckers here in the Fall. They have found our seed superior to any on the market. This is because we have used every means possible to make it so.



MIXSON'S IMPROVED PURPLE TOP YELLOW RUTABAGA.

**POMERANIAN WHITE GLOBE.** Very large, round, pure white roots; excellent for table or stock. An enormous yielder. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 85c, postpaid.

**SOUTHERN SNOW WHITE GLOBE.** A superior large white globe turnip. Very large, pure white, very fine grained, excellent quality. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 85c, postpaid.

**LONG WHITE COW HORN.** A very productive, quick growing turnip. Of excellent quality, fine grained and very sweet. Used largely for stock feeding as well as for table. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.25, postpaid.

**LARGE AMBER OR YELLOW GLOBE.** Of large size, globe-shaped, yellowish flesh with greenish top. Fine for table or stock. An excellent keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c, postpaid.

**WHITE SWEET RUTABAGA.** One of the best keepers. Fine for table use or for stock feeding. Flesh hard, firm and sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 90c, postpaid.

**MIXED TURNIPS.** This is a first class mixture of all varieties. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**PURPLE TOP YELLOW ABERDEEN.** Flesh yellow, very solid, sweet and tender; hardy and a heavy yielder; splendid keeper; fine stock turnip and preferred by many as a table sort. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c, postpaid.

### EGYPTIAN TURNIPS.

What Cauliflower is as compared to Cabbage, so this turnip compares with the balance of the turnip family. To begin with, it is the earliest, then it grows to a fair average size in shortest time, is the sweetest, mildest, most delicious turnip ever produced; in fact, is the only turnip we have ever tasted that could approach the word delicious. It is a highly refined crystal white, fine grained, quick growing, flat turnip; very attractive in appearance when taken to market and lacks the strong odor of ordinary turnips when cooking or as served. It is the proper turnip for a family garden or to grow for the fancy extra particular trade. It is so good that you will like it, even if you have never liked turnips before. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.75.

**EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH.** Exactly like the Early Red or Purple Top Strap Leaf except that they are pure white. Very early, sweet and tender. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**LARGE EARLY RED OR PURPLE TOP GLOBE.** Makes large globe-shaped roots, white flesh, with purple top. Very fine grained, tender and sweet. A most desirable sort for the table or for stock-feeding. Large size and a heavy yielder. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.10, postpaid.

**EARLY WHITE EGG.** A quick growing, egg-shaped, smooth, pure white variety, with small tops. Flesh sweet, firm and mild. Another most excellent table sort. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c, postpaid.

**SEVEN TOP.** A very hardy variety, grown exclusively for greens. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c, postpaid.

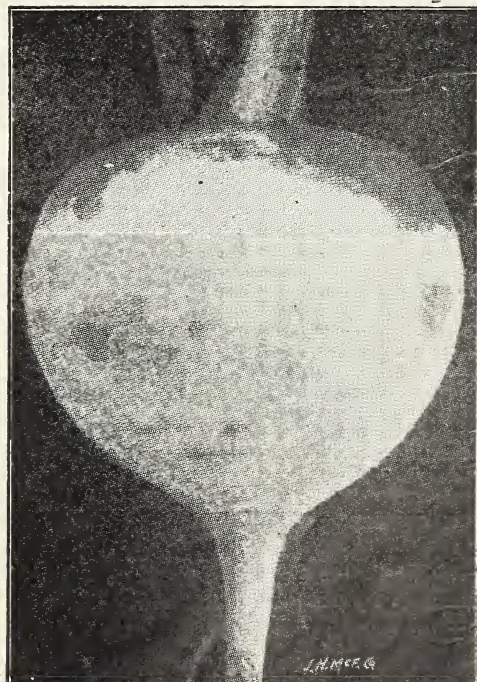
**MIXSON'S HIGH-GRADE EXTRA SELECTED AMERICAN PURPLE TOP RUTABAGA.** An improvement on the old Purple Top. These seeds are saved from crops that have been grown from roots selected for large size, uniform shape and fine quality. Hardy, sweet, a good keeper, the best shaped and most productive. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**LONG ISLAND IMPROVED.** An unexcelled strain of Rutabaga—one in which we take pride. The seed is grown especially for us from roots selected for size, shape and color. Very little neck; good for table use when small. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

**EARLY RED OR PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAVED.** White with purple top; very fine grained, sweet and tender. Quick growing, popular for market or private use. A most desirable table sort. Oz.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 75c, postpaid.

**EXTRA EARLY PURPLE TOP MILAN.** The earliest turnip in cultivation. Medium size, flat, skin and flesh pure white with purple top. Very sweet and tender; finest quality. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c, lb. postpaid.

All Turnips  
5c Packet,  
Except  
Egyptian.



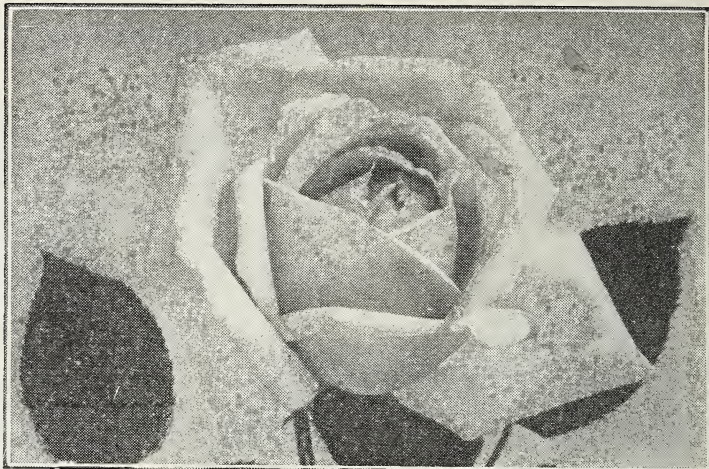
MIXSON'S PURPLE TOP GLOBE TURNIP.



Our splendid Rose Collection—12 of the **BEST ROSES** for 95c, postpaid. This is a **SPECIAL OFFER** to prove how good our plants are.

These roses are worth more than this price and this is a special introductory or get acquainted offer. We want everyone who receives this catalog to have a beautiful rose bed and to remember when they are enjoying the beautiful flowers and showing them to friends, that Mixson's Seeds and plants are always good. Nowhere else will you get this great value for this price. Each one of these 12 roses is in the list below with a \$ mark before the name.

**AGRIPPINA**—Bright red; very free bloomer.  
**SANTOINE RIVOIRE**.  
**AURORA**—Bright pink, very double and sweet.  
**AMERICAN BEAUTY**—35c each; 2-year plan's 75c each.  
**ALEXANDER HILL GRAY**—Pure yellow tea rose. Perfect flowers.  
**ELUMENSCHMIDT**—Lemon-yellow; tinged pink.  
**BESSIE BROWN**—Creamy white flowers; immense size.  
**BON SILENE**—Deep carmine; very free; fragrant.  
**BRIDESMAID**—Best deep pink rose.  
**BURBANK**—Bright pink; grand bedder; always in bloom.  
**BRITISH QUEEN**—The most beautiful white variety, good grower.  
**CATHERINE MERMET**—Color clear, rosy pink.  
**CHAMPION OF THE WORLD**—Deep, rich, rosy pink; hardy, prolific.  
**COUNTLESS OF GOSFORD**—Clear salmon pink and saffron yellow.  
**CLOTHILDE SOUPERT**—Pure white, pink center.  
**CORNELIA COOK**—Favorite white rose. None better for buds.  
**CRIMSON QUEEN**—Always in bloom; large bright crimson flowers.  
**DEAN HOLE**—Light carmine to salmon; extra fine.  
**DOUBLE PINK KILLARNEY**.  
**DUCHESS OF ALBANY**—(Red La France). Charming.  
**DEVONIENSIS**—Magnolia fragrance, creamy white color.  
**DUCHESS DE BRABANT**—Bright salmon pink.  
**\$ ETOILE DE FRANCE**—A superb red free blooming rose.  
**ETOILE DE LYON**—Double, deep golden yellow.  
**EMPRESS EUGENIE**—Deep rich pink; double; hardy.  
**EUGENE E. MARLITT**—Rich carmine with scarlet shading.  
**\$ ESCARLATE**—The best red, bedding rose on the market.  
**FLORENCE PEMBERTON**—Fine summer bloomer. Creamy white & pink.  
**\$ F. B. PATZER**—Creamy buff; back of petals delicate pink.  
**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI**—Often called "White American Beauty." 25c.  
**FREIHERR VON MARSHALL**—Fine grower. Clear bright carmine rose.  
**FREIDRICHSSRUHE**—Thrifty grower. Color a deep, blood red.  
**FRANCIS SCOTT KEY**—Heavy double red, a great all-season rose. 25c.  
**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**—Brightest scarlet, shading to velvety crimson. Fine bedding rose.  
**GOLDEN GATE**—White; beautifully tinged pink.  
**GENERAL McARTHUR**—New superb deep red rose.  
**GORGEOUS**—Deep orange yellow, veined with reddish copper. 25c.  
**HELEN GOOD**—The \$1,000 rose. Diffused pink and yellow.  
**\$ HELEN GOULD**—One of the finest of all red roses; superb.  
**\$ HUGO ROLLER**—Rich lemon yellow, diffused with crimson.  
**HENRIETTE**—For bedding and cut flowers, fiery orange crimson.  
**HOOSIER BEAUTY**—Fragrant orange crimson. 25c.  
**IRISH FIREFLAME**—Old gold or coppery yellow.  
**IVORY**—Pure snow-white; very pretty bud.  
**ISABELLA SPRUNT**—Flowers freely during winter, color richest yellow.  
**JONKHEER, J. L. MOCK**—Large size, highly perfumed; clear pink, 35c.  
**KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—Extra fine pure double white.  
**KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—Pure white, shadings primrose-yellow.  
**LA TOSCA**—Soft pink tinted with rosy white.  
**LAURENT CARLE**—Deep rosy carmine. Extra fine.  
**\$ LADY HILLINGDON**—An intense deep yellow. Long buds.  
**LADY PIRRIE**—Fine garden rose. Color reddish salmon.  
**\$ LADY PLYMOUTH**—Delicate pearl, ivory-cream petals, faintly flushed.  
**LOUIS PHILLIPE**—Velvety crimson, abundant bloomer.  
**MADAM HOSTE**—Pale lemon yellow, deeper yellow center.  
**MADAME SEGOND WEBER**—Grand deep pink.  
**MADAME CAROLINE TESTOUT**—A grand bright pink.  
**MADAME JULES GROLEZ**—Rose and satiny pink; extra.  
**MADAME JENNY GILLEMOT**—Deep saffron yellow; extra large.  
**MADAME MELANIE SOUPERT**—Yellow diffused with pink and carmine.  
**MADMOISELLE CECILE BERTHOUD**—Deep, golden yellow.  
**MADMOISELLE CECILE BRUNER**—Most popular baby, salmon pink.  
 It has become quite the rage and is very fine.



**RADIANCE ROSE**

The rose is the leader of all flowers and is specially the flower of the South. We here offer you a list to select from that is made up of only the most desirable selections for the South and the price is so low that everyone can buy as many as they want. These are strong plants that will bloom within the year. Price, postpaid, 15c each, 6 for 75c, 12 for \$1.50, except where higher price is noted.

Two-year plants of the 15c varieties at 40c or \$4.40 dozen.

**MADMOISELLE FRANCISCA KRUGER**—Deep, coppery-yellow.  
**MADISON**—Extra double pure white. Mildew proof.  
**METEOR**—A grand, rich dark red rose; extra fine.  
**MOLLIE SHARMAN CRAWFORD**—Delicate, pure snow-white.  
**MRS. ROBERT GARRET**—Deep pink; long bud.  
**MRS. BENJ. R. CANT**—Full form, very light red color.  
**MRS. GEO. SHAWYER**—A lovely bright shade of pink.  
**MY MARYLAND**—Clear glowing pink; extra.  
**MADAME COLLETTE MARTINET**—Deep, clear, coppery-orange, best of  
**MADAM MARCELL DELANNEY**—Pale soft pink, gold medal winner. 25c.  
**MISS WILMOT**—Soft sulphur cream color. 35c.  
**MRS. HENRY WINNETT**—Finest of all red or crimson varieties.  
**MRS. CAMPBELL HALL**—Deliciously fragrant, wonderful color.  
**NATIONAL EMBLEM**—Dark crimson; flowers freely. 25c.  
**OPHELIA**—A glorious rose; salmon-flesh shaded with rose, a perfect selection. 25c.  
**PAUL NEYRON**—Giant pink hybrid perpetual, blooming as freely as any. 20 cents.  
**PINK LA FRANCE**—Queen of roses. Magnificent silvery pink flowers.  
**PERLE DES JARDINS**—Clear golden-yellow, very rich.  
**PRESIDENT TAFT**—Of good size and form. Color intense pink.  
**PAPA GONTIER**—Rich, bright red, very fine bloomer.  
**\$ PINK COCHET**—Superb rich clear-pink changing to silvery rose.  
**PRIMROSE**—Mellow yellow and deeper with apricot shadings; large double, perfect buds. Unsurpassed.  
**\$ RHEA REID**—Large double flowers; rich, dark velvety red.  
**\$ RADIANCE**—Brilliant rosy carmine.  
**RED RADIANCE**—A glowing crimson sport of Radiance. 25c.  
**SOUV. DE PIERRE NOTTING**—Apricot-yellow.  
**SAFRANO**—Bright apricot color, hardy, free blooming.  
**WHITE KILLARNEY**.  
**\$ WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—Creamy-white flowers, slightly tinged with black.  
**WM. SHEAN**—A splendid rose of purest pink color.  
**WINNIE DAVIS**—Apricot-pink; very beautiful.  
**WHITE MALMAISON**—White, tinted with lemon. Extra fine. class.  
**WILLIAM SHEAN**—Purest pink, immense size, free and continuous bloomer.  
**WM. R. SMITH**—The soft blending of the salmon-pinks and the beautiful flesh tints in this rose give it a singular resemblance to the entrancing flush on a maiden's cheek.  
**YELLOW MAMAN COCHET**—Lovely golden-yellow flushed with crimson.  
**YVONNE VACHEROT**—Porcelain white touched with red.  
**LAMARQUE**—A beautiful white Southern rose and a strong grower.  
**ORLEANS**—The color is irresistible; plant grows like a weed and flowers almost everlasting. 20c; 2 year, 50c.  
**PILLAR OF GOLD**—Climbing; very beautiful, immense bouquets, five to ten blooms on single branch, a perfect sheet of color.  
**REVE DE OR, or GOLDEN CHAIN**—Color orange-yellow.  
**REINE MARIE HENRIETTE**—Cherry Red, sweet scented.  
**THE MARECHAL NIEL**—A rose famous the world over, and no collection in the South is complete without it. Plants, 15 cents each. Second size, 25 cents; strong plants, 50 cents each. Extra strong plants, \$1.00 and \$1.50.  
**VEILCHENBLAU**—The Blue Rambler. Opens a pink color, quickly changing to violet blue. 20c each; 2 year, 50c.

### OUR GILT EDGE SELECTION OF CLIMBING ROSES.

**CLOTH OF GOLD, or CHROMATELLA**—Clear golden-yellow, full, double and fragrant. Much prized in the South.  
**CLIMBING AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—This ivory white climber is elegant.  
**CLIMBING PAUL NEYRON**—Known as Madame Wagram. Hardy. Large, handsome flowers of clear rose tinted crimson.  
**CLIMBING WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—Grand, huge white flowers, tinged pink.  
**CLIMBING MAMAN COCHET**—This great new rose is a wonderful development. 35c; 2 year, 75c.  
**DOROTHY PERKINS**—The best of the Rambler roses for the South. In color a beautiful shell pink. 15 cents.  
**EDITH CAVELL**—Baby Rambler; bright crimson, very beautiful, 20c. 2 year, 40c.  
**FRANCES E. WILLARD**—A pure snow-white rose; none better.

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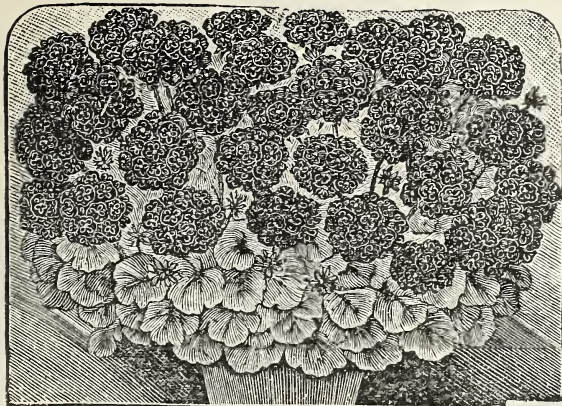


**All of Mixson's**

PALMETTO BRAND



**Seed are Good**



**DOUBLE GERANIUM**

### The Best Single Geraniums.

15c each; four for 50c.

ALBION—White.

JACQUERIE—Carmine Red.

L'AUBE—Snow-white.

MADAME MOSNAY—Red, white center.

MADemoiselle ANATASIE LECADRE—Crimson shaded to white center.

MRS. E. G. HILL—Light salmon.

TIFFIN—Glowing scarlet.

### Sweet-Scented Geraniums.

LEMON—NUTMEG—ROSE—SCENTED. 15c each; 3 for 35c.

### Superb Double Geraniums.

The best of all varieties. 15c each; five of your selection for 65c, postpaid.

ALPHONSE RICARD—Bright vermilion; large flowers.

AMERICAN BEAUTY—Same as American Beauty Rose.

**SPECIAL QUALITY GERANIUM COLLECTION—Made up of our selection—the best 12 double varieties listed above—95c postpaid.**

### Pelargonium, or Lady Washington Geraniums.

35c each, Postpaid.

The grandest of all flowering plants; do not resemble the common Geraniums in any particular, neither in foliage nor flower; more beautiful in every way. We here offer three distinct sorts, every one entirely different in color and every one a beauty. The Lady Washington Geraniums are the handsomest of all flowers—once seen, never forgotten.

These are the very latest varieties and are known as the Ever-blooming Lady Washingtons. Do not fail to try these grand varieties.

**DOROTHY**—It is a perpetual blooming variety, usually commencing to bloom in December or January, and continuing throughout the spring and summer. The throat and edges of the petals are pure white, each shaded toward the center with rich carmine-pink, with a glowing crimson blotch on each. We have always been unable to supply the demand, but now we have a fine stock of plants to offer.

**EASTER GREETING** will prove the forerunner of a new race of ever-blooming kinds, as it rivals the Orchids in beauty. "This new species is the earliest of all Pelargoniums, with enormous florets and clusters, having light green foliage and of dwarf, robust growth. It blooms from March until fall. The florets are fiery amaranth-red, with five large, regular shaped spots. The first and only kind to bloom as well bedded out as in pots, and to do so all summer."

**GARDENER'S JOY**—The ground color is apple-blossom pink, the two upper petals have blotches of carbon-brown, the florets are three and one-half inches in diameter and are joined to enormous clusters which rise above the beautiful foliage and remind one of a Rhododendron cluster. It is of a half dwarf nature and very sturdy. On account of its rapid, luxuriant growth it is a very profitable market variety.

### Pansy Geranium,

### MRS. LAYAL—A Wonderful Plant.

This new and wonderful Pansy Geranium is of the easiest growth, dwarf in habit, and literally covered with flowers all the time; and as it requires little or no attention, it is invaluable as a window plant. The coloring and markings of the flowers are most extraordinary—light, pink, white, dark purple, black, etc., almost rivaling the Pansy in uniqueness of flower. It is this combination of coloring which obtained for it the popular name of Pansy Geranium. Strong plants, ready to bloom, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents, postpaid.

### (DOUBLE GERANIUM CONTINUED)

BEAUTE POITEVINE—Shrimp Pink.

COMTESSE DE HARCOURT—Pure white, stands sun well.

E. H. TREGO—Dazzling scarlet, beautiful flowers.

HELEN MICHELL—Clearest shade of scarlet.

HETERANTHE, or DOUBLE GEN. GRANT—Light vermilion red.

JEAN OBERLE—Beautiful peach pink.

JEAN VIAUD—Largest flowering, rich deep pink.

JOHN DOYLE—Deep scarlet, bright and effective.

LA FAVORITE—Finest double white in cultivation.

MADAME BARNEY—Profuse bloomer, enormous size, deep pink.

MADAM JAULIN—Continual bloomer, day-break pink.

MADAM LANDRY—Salmon pink, scarlet scarlet shading.

MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE—Deep solferino.

MISS FRANCIS PERKINS—Constant bloomer, rose pink, very fine.

MRS. LAWRENCE—Bright satiny salmon-pink.

RED WING—Cardinal velvety red.

S. A. NUTT—Darkest, most richly colored; velvety maroon.

Fairfield County, S. C., June 5, 1919.

Der Sirs:— For the balance due me, please select plants to the amount. I prefer geraniums. I want to tell you that I have never received finer plants from any house than the ones you sent. They are just elegant; all lived but the fish-tail fern. The seed, too, were splendid.

I shall certainly tell all my friends of the perfect satisfaction I have received. I have ordered from so many florists, but the low-priced plants are usually so pony and scrawny; not so with yours, they are full and hardy.

Yours truly,

MRS. W. W. TURNER, Winnsboro, S. C., Rt. 3.

It is our aim to please each customer in this way, and we feel sure, judging from all records that 90 out of every 100 are as well pleased.

### The Standard Pelargoniums, 25 cents each.

AMERICAN BELLE—American Beauty, rose shade with large black blotch.

BRIDEGROOM—Rosy-blush, with maroon shading.

CAPTAIN RAIKES—Grand ruffled variety; bright red, lighter center.

EMANUEL LIAS—Beautifully mottled rose and white, each petal elegantly fringed or crimped.

GLORIOSA—Beautiful pearly-white petals; solid blotch of lavender on upper petal.

LORD MAYOR TRELOAR—Bright rosy-red with a very effective maroon blotch on the upper petals; edge of petals lighter color, center of flower white.



**PANSY GERANIUM.**

A Very  
Beautiful  
Easy-Growing  
Plant





# Mixson's High-Grade Flower Seed and Plants

## BRUGMANSIA

It grows easily, blooms freely and the flower is something to be proud of. The Brugmansia blooms indoors in winter and in the garden in summer. The plant has large, tropical leaves, with blooms 8 inches wide at the mouth, resembling a trumpet, hence the name, "Angel's Trumpet." Pure white in color and as fragrant as a Jasmine. Extra strong plants, 25 cents each.



**ACALPHA SANDERII**

The most sensational plant introduced in years. Velvet crimson flowers, 1 to 2 feet long. Also called Comet Plant, Dewey's Favorite Flower, etc. A great attraction for every plant collection. 15c each.



The  
Umbrella  
Plant

Very  
Easy  
to  
Grow

## CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS.

Handsome as a palm. One of the most popular decorative plants. 10c each.



Easy  
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The  
Plant  
for  
Everybody

## BRUGMANSIA, or ANGEL'S TRUMPET.

50c each.

Beautiful decorative plants and bulbs for indoor or out door growing in the South. These are carefully selected varieties adapted to our climate for summer and winter. They are fine, hardy, healthy plants, and are perfectly packed for shipment. Safe and satisfactory delivery is guaranteed. The prices of these splendid plants you will find to be as attractive as the plants.

It will pay every one to look over these plant and flower seed pages very carefully. The special collections are great bargains and everything offered is of unusual value for the money; in fact, the prices are half of what the same plants and seed sell for in many places.

**ACALPHA SANDERII**—(Dewey's Favorite Flower), 20c each.

**ACALPHA TRIUMPHANS**—20c each.

**ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI** (Emerald Feather)—15c ea; extra large, 35c.

**ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS**—15c each; extra large, 35c.

**ANTIGNONON LEPTOPUS** (Queen's wreath or Mexican Mountain Rose). 20c each.

**ALOPSIA CITRIODORA**, or **LEMON VERBENA**—15c each.

**AMPELOPSIS VEITCHI** (Boston Ivy)—25c each; extra large, 50c.

**ABELIA RUPESTRIS GRANDIFLORA**. A fine shrub, hardy south of Kentucky, bearing bell-shaped white flowers almost hiding the plant. Fine plants, dozen, \$1.00; hundred, \$6.00.

**BOUGANVILLEA SANDERIANA** (Chinese paper plant)—35c each.

**BEGONIAS**, Alba Picta—Argentea Guttata—Gracilis Luminosa—Picta Rosea—President Carnot—Rubusta—Sandersonii—Thurstonii—Vernan Watermelon Begonia—25c each.

**BOSTON IVY**—15c each; extra large, 35c.

**CARNATIONS**—12 fine plants for 95c postpaid.

The following varieties 15c each, postpaid: Benora—Champion—Gloriosa—Good Cheer—Herald—Matchless—Rosette—Sensation.

**COLEUS**—Giant Christmas Gen—25c each.

We have 21 varieties, all colors—20c each, or 21 for \$4.00.

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**CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS**—Umbrella Plant)—15c each.

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**CANNAS**—Orchard Flowering. Our stock of roots for this wonderful decorative plant is very large. We can supply all of the best named varieties. Price, postpaid, for first selection, 20c each; 7 for \$1.25.

**CLEMATIS**—Paniculata—25c each; extra large, 50c.

**COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA GRADIFLORA**. This is one of the finest of hardy plants, with large showy bright yellow flowers, produced in the greatest abundance from June until frost. As a cut flower they stand very near the head. Have long stems and last a long time. Height, 3 feet. Pot grown. Dozen, 60 cents.

**CRAPAE MYRTLE**. This is a beautiful and hardy plant. Lasts for years. Three colors; pink, crimson, purple. 25c each.

**DAISY**—Shasta—15c each.

**ENGLISH IVY**—20c each.

**FUCHSIAS**—Black Prince—Lord Byron—Monstrosa—Speciosa—20c ea.

**FERNS**—Ostrick Plume, Neph. Whitmanii—25c each; extra large, 65c.

Newport; Neph. Scotti—20c each; extra large, 50c.

Fluffy Ruffles—35c each; extra large, 85c.

Fish Tail—Baby's Breath—35c each; extra large, 75c.

Boston—Parlor Fern—25c each; extra large, 75c.

Sword Fern—20c each; extra large, 75c.

Dwarf, for fern dishes, six kinds—15c each.

**HONEYSUCKLES**—Five varieties—20c each.

**KUDZU VINE**—10c each.

**LEMON**—American Wonder—20c; extra large, 40c.

**LOBELIA**—Cardinal Flower—15c each.

**LATHYRUS** (Hardy everlasting pea)—Red and white—15c each.

**MOONFLOWERS**—White and Blue—15c each.

**MOONFLOWERS**—Giant—20c each.

**ORANGE**—Otaheite—20c each; extra large, 35c.

**OLEANDERS**—Four varieties—15c each.

**PLUMBAGO**—Capensis, 3 colors or varieties—25c each.

**PLUMBAGO**—Capensis—20c each.

**PHLOX**—Hardy Perennial, 30 selections—15c each. The entire 30 for \$3.50.

**PANSIES**—Fine, strong plants, 5, 25c; doz., 40c; 50, \$1.50.

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**PINKS**—3 for 30c.

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Strong, Healthy Plants. A Fine Selection—95c, Postpaid.





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**THE WONDERFUL BLUE FLOWERED HYDRANGEA** is becoming more popular in the South every year. Mousseline is the most perfect of this type. This is a selection that every flower lover will be proud of. Young plants 30c, extra strong 50c each.

**NEW HYDRANGEA "HILLS OF SNOW."**—This is the great new hardy shrub that has come to gladden our yards and gardens. We place it first and foremost of all shrubs. It makes a perfectly round, symmetrical bush that is covered from June to August with handsome large pure white flowers. Be sure and plant this new hardy shrub. It will please you greatly. Young plants, 20 cents each strong two-year-old plants, 40 cents.

**AVALANCHE**—Large white, easy to force and of unusual beauty.

**E. G. HILL**—Finest of the Pink Hydrangeas, perfect shade of baby pink, does not fade. Strong, vigorous grower, large and wonderfully attractive. Very easy to bring into bloom and flowers early. This is a variety that should be in every flower collection.

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**AMERICA**—The flowers are of immense size and of wax-like texture beautiful lavender-pink. 6 cents. 60c dozen.

**ANNIE WIGMAN**—Pale cream color with dark blotch; superb. 5 cents. 50c dozen.

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New French Hydrangea Mousseline

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The flowers are double and from four to five inches in diameter, of a charming, rich, clear pink color, with small deep crimson center. It is one of the freest flowering plant novelties recently offered. The color is an entirely new and beautiful shade, and it blooms abundantly and continuously during the summer and fall months. Large plants two and three years old make a magnificent show. It will give general satisfaction to those who grow it either in pots or planted out in the garden. It blooms well in the winter in the greenhouse or in any sunny window. 25 cents; strong, fine plants, 50 cents.

**THE CHINESE HIBISCUS** for growing anywhere in the South is one of the most beautiful plants and easy to grow in the house during winter or in the yard or window box in summer. No flower collection is complete without one or more Hibiscus plants.

**GRANDIFLORUS**—Rich, glossy, cut-leaved foliage, literally covering the plant with scarlet-crimson flowers. 20c each. Extra large, 50c each.

**SUB-VIOLEACEOUS**—Flowers of enormous size, beautiful carmine, tinted with violet. Probably the largest flower of the Hibiscus family, and an unusually free bloomer. We take great pleasure in recommending this fine plant. 20c each. Extra large, 50c each.



New Peachblow Hibiscus

**DOUBLE CRIMSON**—This grand variety has immense flowers of the richest crimson; combined with glossy foliage, renders it the best of all. 20c each. Extra large, 50c each.

**CARMINIATUS—PERFECTUS**—Full, round flowers of perfect shape and of a rich, soft carmine-rose, with a deep crimson eye; fully six inches in diameter. 20c each. Extra large, 50c each.

**VERSCOLOR**—A variety combining in its flowers all the colors of the whole family, being handsomely striped crimson, buff, rose and white. Flowers eight inches in diameter. 20c each. Extra large, 50c each.

**SINENSIS GIGANTEUS**—This is a plant for house cultivation during winter or summer, or for planting outside during summer. It blooms at all times of the year. The plants branch freely and flower profusely, commencing to bloom when not more than a foot high. As a specimen plant for large pots it has an equal only in the Brugmansia. Its flowers are of enormous size, often eight to ten inches across, opening flat, and of such vivid crimson-scarlet color that they can be seen from a long distance like a flaming torch. They can be wintered in the cellar or pit with perfect safety; and if one does not care to grow them all winter, one should have one or two for summer display. 20 cents.

## HEDGE PLANTS—We Here Name the Most Suitable Plants for Hedges

**Berberis—Barberry.** (Thunbergii)—From Japan. A pretty species of dwarf habit. Small foliage changing to a beautiful coppery-red in autumn. A slower grower than the Privet, but needs no trimming and is a feast for the eye when full grown. One-year plants, 25c each \$2.75 per dozen; \$20.00 per 100.

**Ligustrum—Privet.** **AMOR RIVER PRIVET** (Amurense)—This is a very graceful plant, requires little trimming. The leaf is small and rounded, plant branching, has not the stiff, formal effect that the California Privet has. This is the Amor River Privet from the North, and is hardy. 12 to 18 inches, 20c each; \$2.00 dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

**CALIFORNIA PRIVET OVALIFOLIUM**—This makes when pruned a very formal hedge, will grow almost anywhere, thriving where other plants refuse to grow. 18 to 24 inches, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.

## BOUQUET SET OF DAHLIAS

The entire Bouquet set of 7 Dahlias for \$1.35.

**No. 1 WILLIAM AGNEW**—Intense glistening crimson-scarlet, of large size and gracefully recurring form. The most popular standard red. 20 cents.

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**No. 3 FLORADORA**—Deep, dark, rich wine-crimson, splendid shaped flowers on long, upright, wiry stems. Habit ideal of perfection. 20 cents.

**No. 4 ROBERT BROOMFIELD**—Pure snow-white. Of large size. A very free bloomer. Grand for cut flowers. We recommend this variety. 20 cents.

**No. 5 A. D. LIVONI**—A splendid clear pink, beautifully quilled. 20 cents.

**No. 6 MATCHLESS**—Deep crimson, of large size; an early and late bloomer. This we consider one of the best ten Dahlias. Very showy in the garden. 20 cents.

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**DAHLIAS—Cactus and Decorative.** We have a splendid variety of these growing. Can supply the following colors: white, yellow, purple, pink, dark red, variegated. 30 cents each; extra large, 50c each, postpaid.





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Growing fruit very large, thin rind, full of juice. A single lemon weighing 4 pounds is sometimes produced. 12 lemon pies have been made from one fruit.

This wonderful plant has a double value. It is both very ornamental and useful. Being evergreen and everbearing. The combination of green foliage, beautiful, fragrant blossoms, green and yellow ripening fruit, makes it a very valuable and attractive plant to grow in the home, on the porch or the yard. It is, of course, tender, and must be protected from freezing weather and frost in winter. Young, thrifty plants, 20c each; medium size, which will bear next year, 40c; extra large, 60c each, postpaid.



The American Wonder Lemon

89 Fruit From One 6-Foot Plant

**OTAHEITE ORANGE.** Splendid dwarf pot plant, very ornamental with its fragrant blossoms and small fruit. 1st size plant, 20c; 2nd, 40c; extra large, 60c.

Quarantine laws of Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana, Texas, prevent our shipping lemon and orange plants to these States, but do not prevent shipment of other plants we offer.

**AGERATUM**—Blue and white, separate or mixed, 5 cents.

**ALYSSUM**—Sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 50c.

**ALYSSUM**—Little Gem. Pkt. 5c; oz. 60c.

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We can supply all of the best varieties of plants and bulbs for the South, spring and fall. If there are any special varieties that any one desires, write us and we will be pleased to quote price and send you our special bulletin on plants and flowers for decorating the home.

**CYPRESS VINE**—Scarlet, White, Mixed. Pkt. 5c.

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**JAPANESE HOP** (Humulus Japonicus.) Pkt. 5c.

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Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c.

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**MORNING GLORY, JAPANESE (Convolvulus)**—Dwarf, tall and mixed.

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English large flowering, mixed. Pkt. 15c.

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Giant single fringed. Pkt. 20c.

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**PASSION FLOWER (Passiflora)**. Pkt. 10c.

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**PHLOX DRUMMONDI**—Mixson's High Grade Mixture. Pkt. 5c; oz. 75c.

**RICINUS, or CASTOR BEAN**—Mixed ornamental sort. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c.

**SWEET PEAS (Grandiflora)**—White, pink, lavender, blue, red, variegated and mixed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1-4 lb. 45c.

**SWEET PEAS (Spencer)**—Same colors. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; 1-4 lb. 70c.

**SWEET WILLIAM**—Double mixed. Pkt. 10c.

**SWEET WILLIAM**—Single mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Carnation Flowered Double Mixed. Pkt. 5c; oz. 30c.

Cardinal. Pkt. 5c; oz. 35c. Peacock. Pkt. 5c.

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**SALVIA SPLENDENS, or SCARLET SAGE**. Pkt. 10c.

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Grandiflora, mixed. Pkt. 10c; oz. \$1.00.

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**VERBENA**—Ordinary mixed. Pkt. 5c.

Extra Fine. Pkt. 10c.

Mixson's High Grade. Pkt. 15c.

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**ZINNIA**—Double mixed. Giants, red, white, yellow, ordinary. Pkt. 5c.





## Mixson's High-Grade Food Plants and Roots

### Potato Plants, or Drawers

Sweet. Porto Rico, Nancy Hall.

60c 100, postpaid; 500, \$2.75, postpaid. Not prepaid, 1000 at \$3.25.

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By Dusting and Spraying with the  
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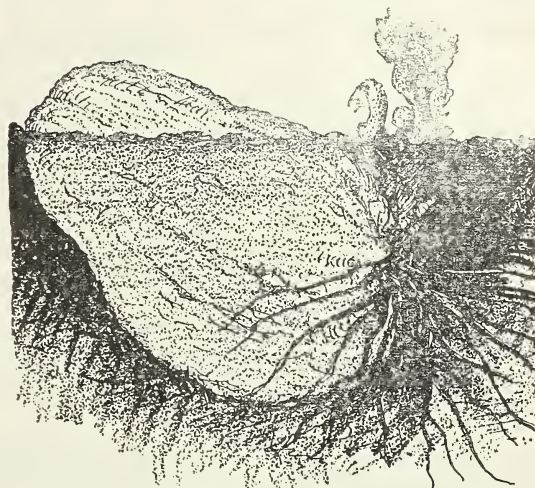
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and prices.

### CHAYOTE or VINE MANGO.

The Chayote is no longer an experiment. It has now become an article of commerce. It may be found on sale at many grocery stores and fruit stands throughout the season.

The vine is a rampant grower. The first year from seed it will grow twenty to thirty feet. Destroyed to the ground by frost, it soon sends out new growth, and during the second season will extend vines forty



Chayote as It Should Be Planted.

or fifty feet in every direction. During September it starts blooming, having a small white insignificant flower. Within four weeks the fruit is large enough for the table. One vine in two years, if properly trellised will produce more than one thousand fruit, in Florida and the Gulf Coast.

#### CULTURAL DIRECTIONS.

One fruit envelopes one seed, which sprouts from the large end. Plant where you intend it shall grow. Cover only the large end, leaving the small end exposed. (See picture.) Or let the fruit lie around until it has well sprouted, and then plant the seed, leaving the sprout well above ground. Water freely and do not be alarmed if frost should destroy it. A new shoot will soon appear. Give it abundance of water throughout the hot summer season.

#### RECEIPTS.

Parboil, chop and casserole with tomato, onion and green peppers. Fry as egg plant. Prepare as summer squash.

Use small ones, without peeling, boil until tender, cut in half, put a small lump of butter, a little sugar, salt and pepper on each one. Put in oven a few minutes.

For larger ones. Peel and cut into cubes and boil; when done, drain, add butter and seasoning and fry in pan. Let simmer until butter burns. Just before serving put tablespoonful of vinegar on them.

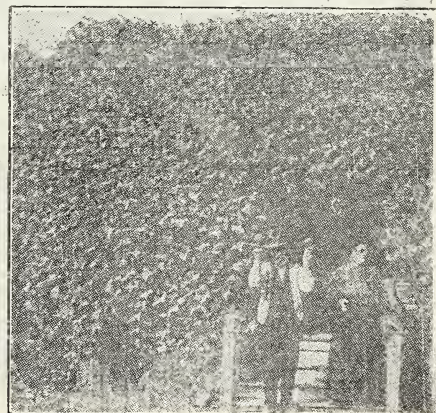
Parboil young ones and serve as salad with mayonnaise dressing or with boiled dinner as turnips.

**Spanish Style:**  
Can be cooked Spanish with tomatoes and chili or bake in roasting pan with meat.

**Breaded:** Also to boil until tender, slice, dip in egg and cracker crumbs and fry it.

Also makes fine pickle and preserves. May be boiled and eaten the same as White Bush Squash.

Here at Charleston one vine has produced over a peck under ordinary conditions. Price, 20c each; 2 for 35c, postpaid.



The Vine-covered Cottage that Yielded \$30.00 Worth Chayotes.





## Mixson's High-Grade Cotton Seed

Our cotton seed department is one in which we have always taken great pride, believing that the farmer's success in raising cotton depends largely upon the quality of the seed that he plants. The simple fact that you bought the best seed obtainable several years ago, and that you have not allowed any other cotton to be planted near it, is no reason that your seed today are the same seed and of the same quality that they were when you purchased them. Cotton seed must be selected, and there are very few farmers that will go to the trouble of field selecting their cotton seed. Then again, cotton breeding requires years of training and when properly done, is quite a science.

### SHORT STAPLE VARIETIES

**SIMPKINS' IDEAL.** This is a selection from the Prolific. Five years ago there was one plant selected from a large field of Simpkins' Prolific which was an ideal stalk of cotton. This had every good point that a stalk of cotton should have, and the seed were saved from that stalk and planted to themselves. The same kind of selection was made the following years until now this has become our most popular cotton. It matures earlier than the Prolific, and bolls are larger. A crop of two bales per acre is not at all unusual with this fine seed. It has several good features that are not found in any other cotton. Perhaps the most important is the fact that it matures earlier than any cotton we ever heard of. It is very prolific, which is unusual for an early cotton. It is the best cotton to plant in the boll weevil sections and is also IDEAL for planting late after truck. Seed are scarce and prices will be much higher later on. Present prices, peck 60c, bushel \$2.10; 10 bushels at \$2.00 f. o. b. Charleston.

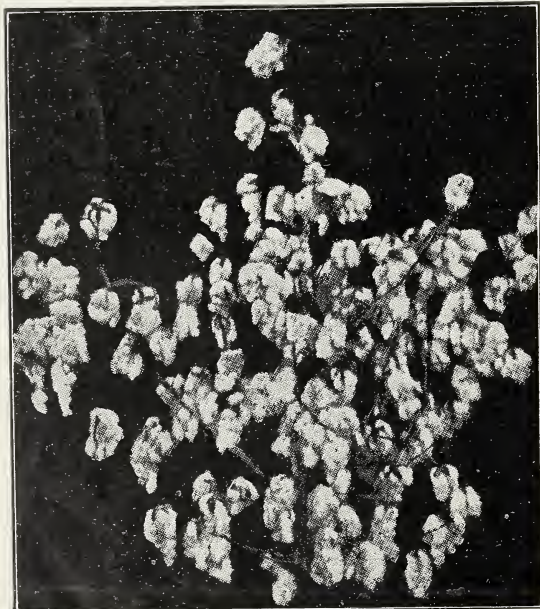
**SIMPKINS' PROLIFIC.** This variety has many friends who have planted it for many years, and it is just as good now as it ever was. Even though the Ideal is better, the Prolific is good, and you will get the same good results again this year from it. The standard has been kept up by careful watching and selecting. It is still put up in the regular two and one-half bushel bags, bearing our Trade Mark, and it represents the very best you can buy for the money.

**KING.** This variety was originated in North Carolina, and is one of the earliest varieties we list. Simpkins' alone is earlier. It is a branching cotton with the first branches near the ground. The bolls are medium with small seed. It is planted very largely in the boll weevil districts. We still get our seed from North Carolina, and it is well selected stock.

**MOSS IMPROVED.** This is an early variety with branches a great deal. The bolls are small, but the out-turn at the gin is possibly the best of the varieties we list. It is planted in a great many sections after truck.

ALL OF ABOVE VARIETIES \$2.75 BU. OR 10 BU. AT \$2.50.

### OUR SPECIAL COTTON SEED CATALOG



CLEVELAND BIG BOLL COTTON

We have this department in charge of a man whose sole business is to look after our cotton seed, inspecting the growing crops, inspecting the cotton, as picked, eliminating first crop top crop and all frost caught seed. Our seed are grown by the best and most careful growers in the business and you are assured of only the best seed if you purchase them from us.

Owing to the present high price of cotton and also of cotton seed, we expect to see the largest scarcity of seed that there has ever been and we would advise you to buy early so you will not be disappointed at not getting what you want.

**PETERKIN.** This is a well-known variety of cotton, being planted for a number of years with excellent results. It is a very vigorous grower, very limby, though it is medium late in maturing. It has a medium-size boll. Its roots go way down, getting plenty of moisture, enabling it to stand dry weather better than any other variety. Many stocks of Peterkin are degenerated, being planted so long without selection, and if you are planting this variety now, you will do well to get fresh seed, as it will fully pay for itself.

**CLEVELAND BIG BOLL.** In our experience this is the best of the big boll varieties. It is early in maturing, very branching, with the first branches near the ground. The bolls are very large, from 45 to 50 to the pound. The lint is of a better quality than the small boll cottons. Bolls have mostly five locks. Most of the big boll varieties are liable to anthracnose, and if you intend to plant Big Boll you should look into this carefully. We have the very best stock of Big Boll we can find, having it grown for us under special contract, and the crop this year was beautiful indeed. In our crop there was not a sign of anthracnose, and only the middle pickings were saved for seed. We feel sure that there is no better and purer Cleveland on the market today.

**TOOLE PROLIFIC.** This is perhaps the most popular variety of cotton grown, and many have continued to plant it for many years. It is a branching variety, with small bolls and is early, though not as quick in maturing as the Simpkins' varieties. There are a great many stocks of Toole Cotton being sold, but none are superior to ours.

**MONEY MAKER.** An early, short-limbed cotton, very similar to the Toole. It can be planted close together, and gives a good percentage of lint at the gin. It has not very much foliage, and its long roots enable it to resist drought. It is an early cotton, though it will be at least a week later than Simpkins'.

Enters into greater detail in the description of varieties than we have space for here; it also contains many fine reports and testimonials as to the very fine crops grown from our high-grade seed. The proof is there to back up every word we have to say about our stocks—we shall be glad to send this to all who want first-class seed at a reasonable price. Our cotton seed catalog describes a number of other varieties as follows: Brown No. 1, Bates, Broadwell Double Jointed, Cook Improved, Mexican Big Boll, Rowden Big Boll, Pool's Big Boll, Half and Half, Heavy Fruiter, Hite's Prolific—these we can supply at \$2.75 a bushel, or 10 bushels at \$2.50 per bushel.

We feel sure that it will always pay you to write us for prices on large quantity. In the exportation of cotton seed we are in position to give the best price and best service in the United States and our business in this line was probably the largest in the country before the war; in the future we can handle this better than ever on account of the special study given this line and our location at the greatest port of the South Atlantic States. Write to us when you want cotton seed.

Eclectic, Ala., Sept. 15, 1917.

W. H. Mixson Seed Co., Charleston, S. C.

Dear Sirs: I planted your King cotton seed this year beside other seed in the same field of seven acres. I have already sold three bales of the KING. The other variety will not be half as good. I am well pleased with your seed. We have had the boll weevil with us for three years.

Yours very truly,

LEE HORNSBY.

Perry, Ga., Sept. 27th, 1919.

W. H. Mixson Seed Co., Charleston, S. C.

Gentlemen: Replying to your letter with reference to King cotton seed bought of you, I am glad to state that the parties to whom I sold some of the seed would not have made anything had it not been for this early variety of cotton. By planting these seed early a good crop of bolls were on the cotton before the weevils got to him, and in this way his crop will make much better than some of his neighbors.

Yours very truly,

GEO. C. NUNN.

Talladega Springs, Ala., Sept. 7, 1918.

W. H. Mixson Seed Co., Charleston, S. C.

Gentlemen: In regard to the Cleveland Big Boll cotton seed bought of you last spring, will say that my customers and I like the Cleveland Big Boll cotton fine. It is very near as early as Simpkins or KING, has a larger boll and is easier picked. We expect to plant our entire crop of it next year.

Yours truly,

W. H. MITCHELL.

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W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.





**All of Mixson's**

PALMETTO BRAND



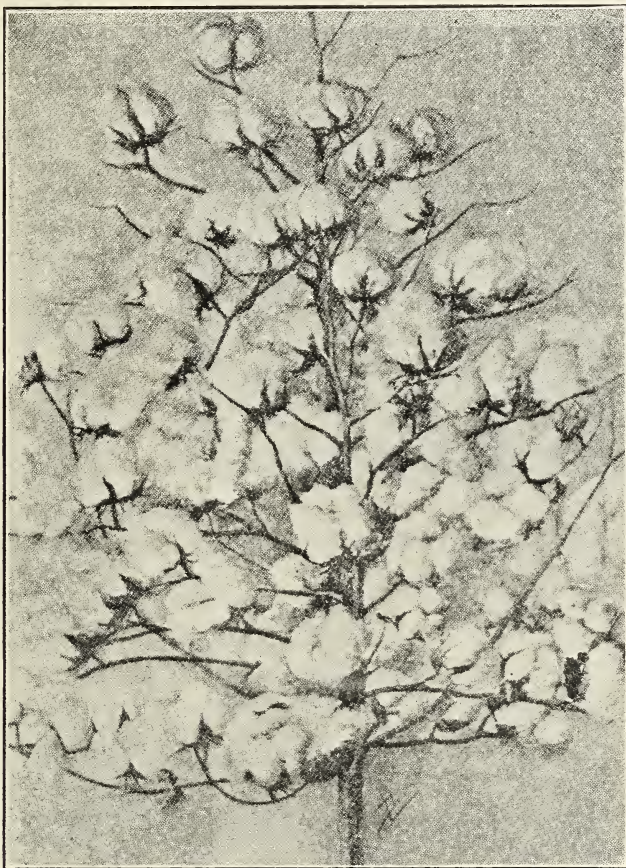
**Seed are Good**



## SEA ISLAND LONG STAPLE.

will always find our Sea Island seed satisfactory. The lint of the famous Sea Island Cotton is known all over the world as the best Cotton produced. A large premium is paid for the product, as many so-called silk goods are made from the lint of this cotton. The Sea Islands along the coast of South Carolina is the natural home of this cotton and it is logical, therefore, to come here for the seed. For many years it was not considered possible to grow this cotton away from the coast, and it is yet a question as to whether quite as good a staple can be grown; however, it has been tried by a number of growers through Florida, Georgia and Alabama, with success. It requires, however, careful handling, and in fact, a different method of handling from the Short Staple and the Upland Long Staple Cotton, and if you are interested in it, and want to grow it, write us, and we shall give you any information desired, and will also give you our candid opinion as to whether you are located to grow it to success. Write for prices.

We are now offering the most carefully improved, Highest-Grade Sea Island Cotton Seed that is produced. Our special cotton catalog will be sent on request and quotations on large quantity of seed. We make prompt shipment from Charleston. You



**SIMPKINS' IDEAL COTTON**

**MEADE—1½ to 1⅞ inches Length.**—Equal to Sea Island in quality, and yields 50 per cent. more per acre. It is earlier and harder than Sea Island and much better to plant under Boll Weevil conditions. Sells for same price as Sea Island. Is the best improved staple cotton to plant on lands formerly planted in Sea Island. Turns out 29 pounds lint per 100 pounds seed cotton. Must be ginned on Sea Island gin. Price, bushel (30 lbs.) \$5.00, 2½ bushels (75 lb. sack) \$12.00.

**IT IS A FACT** that the **BOLL WEEVIL** can be controlled in an average year, and a profitable increase made in the yield of cotton by the use of genuine, high-grade, guaranteed analysis, **CALCIUM ARSENATE**. We can supply this in any quantity. It will pay you to write to us for price and instructions or come in and talk to us about it. We have a book giving all information about how to grow cotton in spite of the boll weevil. This is free. Write for it or stop in and get one.

## VARIETIES FOR WILT INFESTED LANDS

**COVINGTON-TOOLE.** If any one has lands on which Cotton is inclined to blight, we strongly advise the planting of this or the Dixie Wilt Resistant variety. The Covington-Toole resists wilt absolutely, being bred up to this point through yearly selection. We secured our stock seed from Mr. Covington, and the seed we offer this year was grown for us under special contract on blight lands, and the yield was over a bale to the acre. This variety was bred from the Toole, and has all of the characteristics of this variety, and in addition is blight proof. If you have any reason to believe that there is wilt in your land don't run any risk, as the seed costs not more than that of some other varieties. Bushel—\$3.25, 75 lbs. \$7.50, 10 bushels \$27.00.

**DIXIE WILT RESISTANT.** This variety was originally bred in Alabama, the selections being made in a field badly infected with wilt. Year after year the seed was saved only from plants that resisted the blight, until now it is totally immune. This year our crop was grown on blight lands in South Carolina. It is a medium sized plant, bolls small to medium, quality of staple is good, and out-turn of lint is from 38 per cent. to 40 per cent. Bushel \$3.25, 75 lbs. \$7.50, 10 bushels \$27.00

## Mixson's Staple Wilt Resistant Cotton

After several years of careful selection we have developed a cotton that is absolutely a long staple, running 1 3-16 to 1 1-4 inches, and at the same time it is wilt, or blight resistant. We believe that this is the only cotton on the market that is both long staple and wilt resistant. There are lots of farmers who have wanted to plant a staple cotton but have not been able to do so before on account of wilt in their lands. This cotton should appeal especially to these farmers. This cotton is a heavy producer, has a medium size boll, and is one of the earliest maturing of the staple varieties, foliage is light, turns out 34 to 35 per cent. lint. Where a staple cotton is desired we recommend this variety very highly, and especially if your lands are subject to blight. Price, per bushel, \$4.00; 10 bushels for \$37.50. Write for prices in larger quantities.

**WEBBER—49 and 82.** This is one of the best varieties of Long Staple. Its lint will run a full 1¼ inches; quality is excellent, and it is very productive. In fact, we know of many men who produce as much per acre with this variety as they do with the Short Staple varieties. Our stocks are grown only from pedigreed seed and there are none better. Bushel \$4.00, 10 bushels \$37.50.

**HARTSVILLE—11 and 12.** This is one of the oldest of the Cottons of this class and is possibly the most prolific. It has large bolls, practically storm proof, and the lint is of uniformity and strength. Under adverse conditions the lint will run 1½, but breeding work has been done on this variety in the last few years so that now 1 5-16 to 1½ inches may be reasonably expected. Our seed is grown from the latest pedigreed stocks and is very carefully selected. Bushel \$3.75, 10 bushels \$35.00.

Elmore, Ala., September 25th, 1917.

"I have your letter in regard to the COVINGTON-TOOLE Wilt Resistant cotton seed bought from you. I planted them along the side of SIMPKINS cotton seed and they opened very nearly the same time. Will say that they are nearly as early as SIMPKINS. The land where I planted them had the Wilt the worst kind last year. This year it was clear of it where I planted you seed.

Yours respectfully, J. O. CHAPMAN."

Barton, Ala., Sept. 23rd, 1917.

"In reference to your early KING cotton seed will say it is the earliest maturing variety used in this district. Yields the very best of any kind used here, and is profitable here under Boll Weevil conditions. I planted twenty-seven bushels of your King Early, which is the premium cotton of this district, in and around Barton, Ala.

Yours truly, ARCHIE L. KIMBROUGH."

We take pains to see that the crops from which we obtain our seed are free from Anthracnose and all plant diseases. We also do our utmost to see that you get only good, sound, healthy seed, with strong germinating vitality.

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## MIXSON'S NEW EXTRA EARLY BIG BOLL NOW THE LEADING BIG BOLL COTTON

More  
Profitable  
for  
Planting  
in the Boll  
Weevil  
Country  
Than Any  
Other  
Variety



Genuine  
High-Grade  
Northern  
Grown  
Cotton  
Seed

In the Clemson College Experiment Station tests made with **SIXTY-EIGHT** varieties of Cotton, this variety **STOOD FIRST** in **YIELD** and **FIRST** in the big boll sorts **IN MATURING**. **SIX HUNDRED POUNDS** of lint was **PICKED** up to **SEPTEMBER 7th**, eleven hundred pounds per acre up to October 7th.

As stated before, our cotton seed is such an important part of our business and such an important matter to Southern planters to get seed properly bred and selected, that we handle our cotton seed as a separate department under the direction of an expert who takes charge of the production of this seed by the most successful growers. This is to **INSURE** the best possible results for our customers. We produce in this way seed of the **HIGHEST QUALITY** of productiveness in each variety that we offer.

Now of all of the varieties we have grown and tested, **MIXSON'S EXTRA EARLY BIG BOLL PROLIFIC**, has shown itself the leader in every way. It is the variety you want in order to get the largest yield and the best profit.

**EXTRA BIG BOLL (55 BOLLS TO THE POUND.)**

**EXTRA LARGE "TURNOUT" OF LINT** (Record of 39 2-3 per cent; average, 38.)

**UNIFORM LENGTH, STRENGTH AND FINENESS OF STAPLE** (1 to 1 1-16 in.)

**LIMBS ARE TOUGH AND STRONG.** (They hold up a big crop without breaking down or splitting off.)

It has been bred and developed in the high lands and for this reason has been naturally compelled to develop a long tap root and laterals necessary in order to get enough food and moisture to make its big crop. Each year we have given special attention to selecting heavy fruiting stalks which make the best crops under high land field conditions, and in this way have found that this cotton will come through the usual August period of deterioration or shedding with less loss than any other variety. We have studied for years the weak points in all varieties of cotton and have worked faithfully with nature in trying to

get rid of these. In most selections this has proved impossible, but in this variety we have one that is almost completely free from these weak points.

It will come nearer to **GUARANTEEING** you a crop than any other selection you can plant. **WE KNOW** that you will find in this variety the **SUREST CROPPER**, the **SAFEST** of all to plant, for it has **more good qualities** than any short staple you have ever grown.

**MIXSON'S EXTRA EARLY BIG BOLL PROLIFIC** has already been sold in every part of the South. The crops have everywhere been satisfactory. Our seed crops have been practically immune to disease. From none of the seed of this variety already sold have we had any complaint of anthracnose or boll rot. It is not wilt proof, but on land where other cotton has been a complete failure, on account of wilt, this variety has made three-quarters of a crop. You will see by the official record of tests, that it is the earliest and therefore best for boll weevil conditions. This wonderful record of its earliness and large yield is alone sufficient proof that it is the best for planting to beat the boll weevil.

It is the strongest growing, healthiest, most prolific, best grade **EXTRA EARLY BIG BOLL COTTON** offered anywhere. We stake our reputation and money on it and **YOU** can stake your time and money on it for the best **MONEY-MAKING CROP**. **IT WILL PAY YOU WELL.**

PRICE: 1 lb. 25c, 4 lbs., postpaid, 85c, 10 lbs. 90c, 30 lbs. \$3.25, 75 lbs. \$7.50, 300 lbs., not prepaid, \$27.00. Ask for quotations in large quantity. Seed put up 2½ bus. or 75 lbs. to sack.

**W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.**



## The South's Independence Crops

On this and the next three pages we offer you a list of seed for what, we shall call, **INDEPENDENCE CROPS**, because by planting them on half of the land you now have in cotton, they are sure to make you independent of the Boll Weevil and Cotton Speculator.

**TODAY**, the farm that produces its own food for the family and feed for the stock is the **ONLY INDEPENDENT FARM**, and the seed offered on these pages are the **BACKBONE CROPS** for our **INDEPENDENCE**. They have more than doubled the profits on many farms, many of our customers have tried them and found this true and those who have not, have lost this additional profit. It is usually easier and cheaper to grow these crops than to grow cotton, but we do not advise quitting cotton entirely; cut the acreage in half, as the most successful cotton growers are doing, plant our **HIGH-GRADE COTTON SEED**; plant it early, fertilize it well, cultivate it often, plant the balance in food and forage crops, keep as many cows and raise as many hogs as possible and you will be as safe and independent as it is possible to be in this world.

**YOU WILL BE LOSING MONEY EVERY DAY YOU DELAY IN BEGINNING TO GROW THESE CROPS.** Information about them may be obtained from the County Agent at your County Court House, from the State College and Agricultural Department and from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. Southern Agricultural papers are also a big help in this work, and it will pay you to subscribe to one or two. We are at all times glad to answer all inquiries about prices and give any information desired. Do not hesitate to ask us any questions you want answered, if we don't know we will get the information for you, that is part of our business—it is what we are here for.

### COW PEAS

No crop has done more for the rebuilding of soils in the South than Cow Peas. Every crop of them you plant you can figure as money saved and made, which otherwise would have gone for fertilizer. It is not necessary to turn under the whole crop to do good. The roots collect nitrogen from the air, and the vines can be cut and cured for hay, and stubble turned back. **Sow Peas in your Corn.** This is rapidly becoming a common practice, and is one that is productive of the very best results. Sow at the last working.

It is impossible at this time to quote Peas, as we cannot tell what they will be worth at planting time. We expect to have a full stock at all times of the following varieties: **Whippoorwill, Wonderful or Unknown, Brabham, Iron, Clay, Black-Eye, Red Ripper and Mixed.** Write for prices when you are ready to buy.

Price, pkt. 10c; 2 lbs. 25c, postpaid.

### SOY OR SOJA BEANS

The planting of this crop has increased very largely during the past few years, and it is one of the most valuable for the South. It is very much like the Cow Pea for general uses, though it has decided advantages over Peas. It is a legume, and, therefore, improves the soil equally as much if not more than Peas. Besides, it is erect in growth, while the Peas are very often viney in growth, and therefore difficult to handle. Soy Beans can be easily cut and cured, and when used as hay the product is preferable to Pea-vine hay, as stock like it better.

A mixture of Soy Beans and Cow Peas also does well, as the stiff stalk of the Beans supports the Peas and makes cutting easier. They can be sown both in rows of 2½ feet, or broadcast, and if to be cut for hay, it is advisable to sow thickly to prevent the stalk from getting too coarse. If sown in drill, one-half bushel should be planted to the acre, and if planted broadcast at least a bushel and a half should be used.

**MAMMOTH YELLOW.** The most popular variety of this Bean. Makes a large yield and is the strongest grower. Pkt. 10c, lb. 20c, 2 lbs. 35c, postpaid. Ask for prices on other varieties, and larger quantity.

### TEOSINTE

This is undoubtedly one of our most valuable forage crops to use as a green feed for stock. It makes more forage than anything that we know of, is of good quality, either as a green feed or for ensilage. You can plan it in rows about 2½ or three feet square and it will make a solid mass of forage. We urge our customers to plant at least enough of this great forage to try it out for themselves. We are confident that you will be amazed at the enormous amount of good forage that it will produce. Should be planted about the same time that you would sorghum. Prices, ¼ lb. 30c, lb. \$1.00, postpaid.

### RICE

For upland and lowland. We have an excellent supply of Seed Rice. This crop is especially profitable at present and comparatively easy to grow. For several years we have had an increasing demand for our rice seed from all parts of the South. Sow in drills 20 pounds to acre. We have the Improved Lowland varieties. White and Gold, and Blue Rose. 1 lb. 25c, postpaid; 10 lb. 75c; 40 lb. \$2.90; 100 lb. \$7.00.

**UPLAND RICE.** Same price.

### PEANUTS

Succeed best in light, loamy or sandy land, level culture being best. In addition to the crop of nuts, they yield a good amount of very nutritious forage, as well as improving the soil.

Plant during April or May, shelling the Peanuts before planting. Sow in 2½ to 3 foot rows, dropping the nuts about 8 inches apart. Lime should be applied to the plants after they are well up, and a top dressing of land plaster at the last working is advisable. This will make the nuts fill out, and you will have few "pops." Two bushels plant an acre. Ask for special price in 10-pound lots or more.

**WHITE SPANISH.** The most popular variety, are planted very largely as a forage and fattening crop for hogs and other stock. The pods are small, with strong-growing upright stems. The hay is very rich in protein. Hogs can be turned in on the patch, or you can pick the Peanuts and feed the vines. They are easily harvested on account of the upright, bushy growth. Very often it is planted in late Corn between the rows. Pound 25c, postpaid.

**NORTH CAROLINA.** A running Peanut. The pod is larger than the White Spanish. Many tell us that they can stay in the ground all winter and not rot. On account of this they are fine for hogs, as you can turn in the hogs and they will do the harvesting. Pound, 25c, postpaid.

**VALENCIA.** This is the large improved Spanish Peanut, having 3 to 5 large, rich, sweet nuts in each hull. These need the best land and plenty of acid phosphate. When properly selected and sold as parched peanuts, they bring the highest prices. Lb. 35c, 3 lbs. \$1.00, postpaid. Ask for price in quantity.

### CHUFAS

There is no better hog fattening crop than Chufas. An acre of Chufas is worth easily as much as forty bushels of corn and with the increase in the number of hogs in the South, Chufas should be planted more, as we know of no crop that will give as much food as Chufas with the same money spent. After the crop is grown, turn the hogs in and they will do the harvesting. Plant in 2½-foot rows, dropping nuts every 10 inches. Plant during April, May, June, and during September the hogs can be turned in. Two bushels will plant an acre. Price, pkt. 10c, 1 lb. 30c, postpaid. Write for bushel price.



CHUFAS, OR GROUND ALMOND



## Mixson's High-Grade Field Seed

**RIGHT HERE** is the place for you to stop a few minutes and consider our ability to supply you with field seed of **EVERY VARIETY** at prices that no one can beat, for **EQUAL QUALITY**. We have every facility for handling business in this line to your entire satisfaction. We contract for, buy, and grow this seed in great quantity under the most careful supervision and from the finest stock seeds. We have large and convenient warehouse space, with the most up-to-date electrical elevators, cleaners and graders to handle this class of stock and ship it to you in the best condition you could desire. The freight rates in and out of Charleston are the most reasonable and the service is getting better every day. All of the above advantages and our ample capital enables us to give you the best service, the highest grade seed at prices that you are sure to find will save you money.

Your Special Attention is called to the following varieties which are of great value on every Southern farm.

Here is a complete list of forage crop seed, for hay, grain, pasture and soil improving, for the South. These we can supply at the proper season for planting. Always write us for prices and any other information you want about them.

This is the Big 7 Combination, the Only Sure Cure for the Boll Weevil



1. Cows
2. Hogs
3. Cotton
4. Corn
5. Legumes
6. Winter Grain
7. Pastures  
and
8. Rotation.



On This Page is a Complete List of the Best Varieties for Forage, Pasture and Soil-Building Crops

LEGUMES.									
	Large Pkt.	—Postpaid— 1-lb.	3-lb.	Not prepaid. *15-lb. *60-lb.		Large Pkt.	—Postpaid— 1-lb.	3-lb.	Not prepaid. *15-lb. *60-lb.
<b>BEANS</b> —Velvet, Osceola	\$.10	\$.20	\$.50		Jerusalem Corn	.10	.25	.60	
Bush Velvet Chinese	.10	.20			Feterita	.10	.25	.60	
Ex. Ey. Speckle, 90 Day	.10	.20			Chicken Corn or Shallu	.10	.25	.60	
Yokahoma	.10	.20			Egyptian Wheat, Genuine	.10	.25	.60	
Florida Late	.10	.20			MILLET—Golden or Liberty	.10	.20	.60	\$1.80
<b>BEANS</b> —Soja or Soy	.10	.20			Pearl or Cat Tail	.10	.30	.75	3.45
Beggarweed or Florida Clover	.10	.50	1.45		Georgia Brown Top	.10	.30	.75	3.45
<b>CLOVER</b> —Alfalfa	.10	.50	1.40		Teosinte	.10	.90	1.65	
Alsike	.10	.50	1.40		<b>CORN</b> —Sugar or Garden Corn, page 14.				
Bokhara, Melilotus or Sweet	.10	.45	1.25		Field or Grain, pages 47, 48, 49, 50.				
Crimson	.10	.35	.90		Ensilage, pages 49, 50.				
Japan or Lespedeza	.10	.50	1.40		Pop Corn, page 14.				
Red	.10	.45	1.20		<b>GRASS</b> —Fine leaved for pasture or hay				
White or Dutch	.10	.75	2.10		(For Spring planting marked S).				
Florida Clover or Beggarweed	.10	.50	1.45		(For Fall planting marked F).				
<b>VETCH</b> —Hairy, Sand or Winter, Vicia					Bermuda	(S) .10	.65	1.80	
Villosa	.10	.35	1.00		Bent, Creeping (ask for price)	(F)			
Spring, or English, Vicia Sativa	.10	.25	.60		Dallas or Paspalum	(S) .10	.65	1.80	
Augusta, Vicia Augustifolia	.10	.20	.45		Fescue, Meadow	(F) .10	.40	1.00	
<b>KUDZU</b>	.10	10.00			Fescue, Red	(F) .10	.50	1.40	
<b>PEAS</b> —Field or Cow Peas	.10	.20	.45		Fescue, Sheep (ask for price)	(F)			
Brabham	.10	.20	.45		Herds, or Red Top	(F) .10			
Black Eye, Large or California,					Johnson	(S) .10	.40	1.00	
2 Crop	.10	.20	.45		Kentucky Blue	(F) .10	.45	1.25	
Clay	.10	.25	.60		Lawn, Evergreen	(F) .10	.30	.75	
Conch	.10	.20	.45		Lawn, Sunny South, Winter	(F) .10	.30	.75	
Iron	.10	.20	.45		Meadow Oat	(F) .10	.40	1.00	
Lady	.10	.25	.60		Natal or Florida Red Top	(S) .10	.40	1.00	
Phillipino	.10	.20	.45		Orchard	(F) .10	.40	1.00	
Red Ripper	.10	.20	.45		Paspalum Dilatatum, Dallas	(S) .10	.65	1.80	
Unknown or Wonderful	.10	.20	.45		Pasture, Permanent	(F) .10	.35	.95	
Whippoorwill	.10	.25	.60		Poa Compress Canada Blue	(F) .10	.35	.95	
Groit	.10	.25	.60		Rhodes	(S) .10	.60	.75	
Tillman or Brown, 2 Crop	.10	.25	.60		Rye, Italian	(F) .10	.30	.75	
Taylor or Blue Speckle	.10	.25	.60		Rye, English Perennial	(F) .10	.30	.75	
New Era	.10	.25	.60		Sudan	(S) .10	.40	1.00	4.50
Canada Field	.10	.25	.45		Timothy	(S) .10	.30	.75	
<b>PEANUTS</b> —Small Spanish White,					<b>GRAIN</b> —Oats (get fall catalog and weekly price list)				
2 Crop	.10	.35	.65		Burt, 90-day or May		1.35	\$1.30	
North Carolina Running	.10	.35	.90		Fulghum, plant spring and fall		1.85	1.80	
Virginia	.10	.25	.60		Texas Rust Proof, high-grade, plant fall		1.35	1.30	
<b>ROOT CROPS</b> —Artichoke (Roots)					Appler, plant fall		1.65	1.60	
Beets, Mangle and Sugar	.10	.90	2.60		100 bushel, plant fall		2.00	1.95	
Carrots, Large Belgian	.10	1.00	2.90		<b>WHEAT</b> —Leaps Prolific (ask for prices in fall				
Chufas	.10	.25	.70		Blue Steam we will be pleased to quote				
<b>FOR SYRUP AND FORAGE</b>					Ey. Red May and send you fall catalog)				
<b>SORGHUMS</b> —Early Amber, small stalk	.10	.20	.50		Georgia Red				
Early Orange, large stalk	.10	.20	.50		Fulcaster				
Red Top	.10	.25	.60		Barley—Winter	Pkt. Lb. 3 Lb.			
Sugar Drip	.10	.25	.60		Buckwheat, Japanese	.10 .25 .60			
Texas Seeded Ribbon Cane	.10	.25	.60		Benne	.10 .60 1.50			
Honey Syrup	.10	.20	.50		<b>RICE</b> —Upland	.10 .25 .60			
Kaffir, Red and White	.10	.20	.50		Carolina Gold	.10 .25 .60			
Milo Malze	.10	.25	.60		Carolina White	.10 .25 .60			
Branching Sorghum	.10	.25	.60		Blue Rose	.10 .25 .60			
					<b>RYE</b> —Carolina Tall Growing (ask for latest price				
					Abruzzi on grain and fall catalog.				
					Rosen				
					South Georgia				
					Florida Black				
					<b>TOBACCO SEED</b> —Carolina Natural Leaf—Yellow Pryor—Hester—				
					Sweet Oronoko. Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c, postpaid.				

ASK FOR WHOLESALE PRICE LIST.

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KAFFIR CORN

## Sorghum, or Cane

ONE OF GREATEST FORAGE CROPS

No farm should be without this valuable crop. It is growing in popularity every year, for there is probably no crop out of which so much can be realized with as little expenditure. It is continuously growing, and when planted early can be cut several times during the season, as it grows till frost. It can be either fed green or cured as hay. It is liked by all stock. Very often it is planted with Cow Peas. If it is to be cut green, plant in 2½ foot rows, using about six quarts of seed to the acre; if it is to be cut for hay, plant broadcast at least a bushel to the acre.

**EARLY AMBER.** This is the earliest variety of Sorghum and in the South is planted mostly for forage, both as a green food and as hay. It grows tall and has a small stalk with lots of fodder and will make more good hay than any other variety of sorghum. If planting Early Amber with peas, it should be planted thick, because it makes a smaller stalk when it is thick. Price, per lb. 20c, 3 lbs. 50c, postpaid. Ask for prices on larger quantities.

**EARLY ORANGE.** This grows very much like the Amber, except that it makes a larger stalk and less foliage. It is used for forage as well as for syrup. Makes very good syrup and the stalk contains much juice. Price, per lb. 20c, 3 lbs. 50c, postpaid. Ask for prices on larger quantities.

**RED TOP.** This sorghum matures about ten days later than the Early Amber and makes a much larger stalk. It is used mostly for syrup, although it makes excellent forage. Very popular in Tennessee and North Georgia. Price per lb. 20c, 3 lbs. 60c, postpaid. Ask for prices on larger quantities.

**SUGAR DRIP.** This is a superior syrup sorghum. It makes syrup of extra fine quality. As a stock food for ensilage or dry forage it ranks very high, as it contains more sugar than Amber, Orange, or Red Top. Pkt. 10c; lb. 25c; 3 lbs. 50c, postpaid; 10 lbs. \$1.85, 50 lbs. 8.00, not prepaid.

### YELLOW MILO MAIZE

This makes a thick, succulent growth of foliage, very nutritious and of splendid milk producing qualities. This, like sorghum, can be cut over two or three times, where it is desired to cut for green forage. Also makes excellent ensilage, or can be cured same as other sorghums. Pkt. 10c, lb. 25c, 60c, postpaid.

### BRANCHING SORGHUM

Immense producer of fine quality forage. Grows 8 to 12 feet high, stooling heavily. Can be cut three or four times during season and at any stage of growth. Large seed heads, furnishing large grain crops almost equal to corn in feeding value. Plant in 4-foot rows, 8 pounds of seed per acre. Pkt. 10c, lb. 25c, postpaid, 3 lbs. 60c, 10 lb. lots or over, not prepaid, at 12c per pound.

### WHITE KAFFIR CORN

Rapidly becoming a favorite in the South for its drought resisting qualities. Plant stocky and erect with wide foliage which makes the finest kind of forage. Two to four heads of grain produced by each stalk. If cut just before heading, shoots spring from the roots producing a second crop of forage and a grain crop. Plant in 3-foot rows and cultivate the same as corn. Plant eight pounds of seed per acre, sowing it in the rows like other sorghum. Pkt. 10c; lb. 20c; 5 lbs. 75c, postpaid. By express or freight, not prepaid. Ask for latest prices.

## FETERITA

A new drought resisting forage plant which has given most excellent and satisfactory results wherever it has been sown, and is remarkable for its drought-resisting qualities. Feterita is earlier in maturity than Kaffir Corn and is considered superior, both in grain and fodder production. We sell it quite generally throughout the South every year, and have received very satisfactory reports from our customers who used it. Feterita should be planted and cultivated the same as Kaffir Corn, after the ground and weather get warm, from April to July. Price, lb. 25c, 3 lbs. 60c, postpaid; 10 lb. lots and over 11c per lb., not prepaid; 100 lb. lots, ask for price.

## SUDAN GRASS

Laughs at Drought—Smiles with Rain. It should not be planted till the ground is warm in the Spring. Seeding in drills seems to do best, for then you can work it several times. Put the rows about 2 feet apart, 6 pounds of seed to the acre. It can also be sown broadcast, or put in with a grain drill. Then it will take about twenty to twenty-five pounds of seed.

Sudan Grass is easily cut with a mower and cures readily the same as Millet or Sorghum. The best time to cut is when it is just past full bloom. After the first cutting the grass stools considerably, and in from forty to fifty days another cutting is ready.

It is drought resisting, and this is one of its best qualities, as very often the prospects of fine hay crops in the Summer are spoiled by dry weather. There is considerable danger of getting seed mixed with Johnson Grass, and care should be taken to secure them from a reliable source. Ours have all been tested, and can be relied on. Pound 40c, postpaid. Write for price in lots.

## LESPEDEZA OR JAPAN CLOVER

A very valuable pasture and hay crop for the South. It is a legume, and therefore improves the soil. It will yield several cuttings a year, the same as Alfalfa, and is also a perennial, rapidly taking possession of the land. However, it can be eradicated if desired. Instead of cutting for hay it can be pastured, and either the pasture or hay is relished by stock. Sown in March or April, 25 pounds to the acre, in a well prepared seed bed. Thirty-two pounds to the bushel. Lb. 45c, postpaid; 3 lbs. \$1.20.

## SPRING OATS

The spring crop often proves very profitable and for the past two years has done exceedingly well. Vicia Sativa or Spring Vetch should be sown with the oats, put in 10 lbs. to acre with 2 to 3 bushels of Oats, the combination is good to cut for hay just as oats begin to head, or if the oats are allowed to ripen, the vetch mixed in with the straw makes it a better feed. The varieties to plant are: Fulghum—Price, bu. \$1.85.

Burt, or 90-Day May Oats—Price, bu. \$1.35.

Ask for latest quotation in quantity.

## PEARL, OR CAT TAIL MILLET

Also called Horse Millet. This is one of the most useful millets for the South. It can be planted early in the spring and you can make continuous plantings all through the summer. It is used extensively for cutting to feed green and grows out again very quickly; in fact, in three or four days you can see it has grown several inches. Can be cut about every ten days to two weeks. Does well all through the South. Plant in drills, rows three feet apart, at the rate of 5 pounds per acre, or broadcast for hay at the rate of 40 pounds per acre. Price, per pound, postage 35c. By freight and express, not prepaid, 30c per pound. Write for prices on larger quantities.

Plant the seed the same season you plant Collards or Turnips.

## RAPE

Rape is one of the leading fat and muscle-building foods. The seed has been and is now being sold for a great deal less than its value, when you give the plant or crop credit for its actual worth. It grows well over a very wide range of soil and climate, is one of the easiest forage crops to grow, and produces in the shortest time a tremendous quantity of rich, succulent, health-giving feed that will keep stock of all kinds in fine condition. For cows it is profitable because of the great increase in rich milk flow, which it produces. Be sure to plant a good size patch or a few acres of Rape fall and spring. Write to the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., for bulletin on Rape Culture and its food value. Plant on any land that will grow cabbage, turnips, cotton or corn. Plant in rows 2½ feet apart, 5 lbs. seed per acre or 10 lbs. an acre broadcast. Price 25c pound, postpaid; 10 lbs. at 20c, not postpaid.

## GOLDEN or LIBERTY MILLET

This is one of the best hay crops for the South, the hay being of fine quality, ranking as high as Timothy. It is easily grown and cured, and matures very rapidly. It is best sown about April 15, on well prepared ground, and it should also be well fertilized to give best results. Results will be worth the expense of this preparation as the yield will be greatly increased and the quality of the hay is very high. A common practice in some sections is to sow German Millet after truck crops which have been fertilized, and in this way it makes with little or no additional fertilizer. After Potatoes, Beans or Cucumbers it does well, and it can be planted as late as July, and the crop will come off in plenty of time to get in a Fall crop of grain or Vetch, etc. Good seed is an important factor, and ours is the very best. If you have not grown this crop before, it certainly deserves a trial, and if directions are carried out, you will be pleased. Pound 20c, 3 lbs. 50c, postpaid; 16 lbs. \$1.80, not prepaid.



GOLDEN or LIBERTY MILLET





# All of Mixson's

PALMETTO BRAND



# Seed are Good



## Mixson's High-Grade Field Seed

### Velvet Beans the Weather Proof Crop

The velvet bean is a semi-tropical crop that grows well in sections where the rainfall is very heavy. Yet it is one of the best legumes grown in the South for getting safely through such dry spells as are experienced in the Gulf coast region. It has been easy to see that during the dry weather of any summer when corn and cotton are suffering seriously for the lack of water, velvet beans grow on serenely as though they needed no rain. The humus and nitrogen they supply also give the soil a high water-holding power.

**VELVET BEANS.** Of all the legume crops ever discovered we believe the velvet bean is today the cheapest and most valuable for the greatest number of farms in the South. It is the best legume for the poorest land and as the soil increases in richness, so does the velvet bean increase in tonnage of growth. We have sowed them a bushel to the acre broadcast on the poorest sandy soil, with no clay subsoil and with no fertilizer, the growth completely covered the land. We turned this growth under in the fall, sowed rye and averaged 15 bushels to acre and immense amount of straw. We then followed this with corn, planting Osceola beans at same time corn was planted, and sowed Brabham peas broadcast when corn was laid by, this gave a profitable crop of corn, beans and peas while the vines and roots added greater fertility to the soil. This is the easiest, cheapest and most profitable way to build up poor land. There is more money in building up worn-out land by this method than clearing new land of timber and stumps, or working crops in the best new ground with trees and stumps in the way. For fertilizer a crop of velvet beans grown and turned under on the land is cheaper and better than stable manure. **VELVET BEANS** should be planted in every acre of corn on thin or ordinary land, at the same time corn is planted, sow peas in the middle when you lay by. On rich land plant the Osceola bean at second working of corn. The land building or fertilizing value of the velvet bean more than pays the expense. In addition to this, is the grazing value of the beans and pods, which should be picked before the stock is turned on the fields. **EVERY FARMER** who does not plant his corn and any idle land in velvet beans every year is losing ten to twenty dollars an acre. It is one of the most important and valuable of all crops, yet a great many are not planting it as they should. Of course, we have velvet bean seed for sale and want to sell you as many as you need. Regardless of where you buy, the above statement of **FACTS** and our advice is as good as gold. We repeat, **PLANT VELVET BEANS**, and then plant some more; let us sell the seed to you if our price suits you, and we are sure you will find it low enough for the high grade seed we offer, but regardless of where you get the seed, **PLANT VELVET BEANS**. Extra Early Chinese and Osceola are the best to plant. Write to the following places for bulletins on velvet beans and their use: South Carolina Experiment Station, Clemson College, S. C.; Georgia College of Agriculture, Athens, Ga.; U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., and other State Colleges and Experiment Stations.

**VELVET BEANS ARE CHEAPER THAN COTTON SEED MEAL FOR MILK PRODUCTION.** This is proven by experiments at **FLORIDA EXPERIMENT STATION**. Write to the station at Gainesville, Fla., for complete information.

This crop is worth more to the South than Alfalfa. It is good for **HORSES, COWS, HOGS**. Can be fed in the field or ground with grain. There are many ways in which it pays.

It is practically disease proof, weevil proof and weather proof.

**CHINESE VELVET.** This variety grows off faster after germination than any other variety; it makes a greater vine growth than the old original Florida Speckle. Is the most prolific, produces great clusters of beans, the pods containing 5 and 6 beans each. We know of one man who planted a quart and gathered 10 bushels, another a peck and gathered 25 bushels. When planted at same time corn is planted, matures full crop. For the greatest crop of vine and beans this is the variety to plant early. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 lb. 15c; 1 lb. 25c; 2 lbs. 40c, postpaid. Not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$1.25. Ask for bushel price.

**OSCEOLA VELVET.** This is a great new variety originated several years ago at the Florida Experiment Station and is becoming more popular every year. It is different from the other varieties in not having the fuzz on the hull that others have, and it sheds its leaves in October. On account of this it may be planted in corn on rich land, the leaves shedding off so that it is easy to pull the ears of corn and pick the immense crop of beans that it makes. You will find this a splendid bean in every way and we certainly advise every one to plant it. Pkt. 10c; 1/4 lb. 15c; 1 lb. 25c; 2 lb. 40c, postpaid. Not prepaid, 15 lbs. \$1.25. Ask for bushel price.

**EARLY SPECKLE, OR NINETY DAY VELVET BEAN.** This bean resembles very much the old time Florida Speckle in looks and you should be careful not to get the two confused. It is a hardy grower, makes a rank growth of vine and is the most prolific of all Velvet Beans. They will mature in ninety days from planting time. However, they will continue to bloom and bear until they are killed by frost. We gave them a trial on our trial grounds at Ferndale and assure you that they are all we claim for them. Price, pkt. 10c; 1 lb. 20c; 2 lbs. 35c; postpaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, 15 lbs. 90c. Ask for bushel price.



### HAIRY VETCH. The frost and cold proof "Winter Cow Pea."

For grazing, for hay, for soil building, for low cost of production, for a sure crop, for genuine satisfaction and a good profit there is no winter legume of any variety that can beat **HAIRY VETCH**. And for the thin sandy soils it is 50 per cent ahead of the others. Sow in October and November alone or mixed with Oats, Wheat or Rye. Write to U. S. Department of Agriculture or your State Experiment Station for bulletins and write to us for complete information and prices on seed. It will pay every farmer to learn all about this valuable crop.

### Pastures Save Grain Feeds

From the results of many feeding trials with hogs 10 pounds of gain for each bushel of corn fed, or one pound of gain for every 5.6 pounds of corn, is all that should be expected from feeding hogs alone in a dry lot. A mixture of one part tankage and nine parts corn gives much better results, usually producing one pound of gain for every 4.5 pounds of the mixture fed.

The quantity of grain needed to produce a pound of gain is considerably lessened if the hogs have access to green forage. Corn fed to growing shotes on rape should produce one pound of gain for every 3.7 pounds of grain fed. The addition of some highly concentrated feed, such as tankage, meat meal, shorts, or linseed meal, should reduce by one-half to three-fourth of a pound of grain necessary to produce a pound of gain.

### Mixson's Perpetual Pasture Mixture

Again we offer you this excellent pasture mixture. We know that we could not put out a mixture that would give more universal satisfaction than this one does. It has now been planted in all sections of the South with the same result:—**PERFECT SATISFACTION**. It is indeed gratifying to us to know that this mixture pleases our customers, and we expect to continue filling orders just as the mixture is now, without making the slightest change in it.

This mixture, as stated before, is composed of Orchard Grass, Tall Meadow Oat Grass, Italian Rye Grass and Red Clover. The Grasses are mixed and the Clover put up in a separate bag, so that you can inoculate the clover, if you want to. We advise doing this by all means, unless you have grown the clover on your land before. Plant from September to December for best results. Requires one bushel (30 pounds) for an acre. Price, postpaid, 30c per pound. By freight or express, not prepaid, pound 25c. **ASK FOR PRICE IN QUANTITY.**

**SEE COMPLETE LIST OF GRASS AND CLOVER SEED ON PAGE 44.**

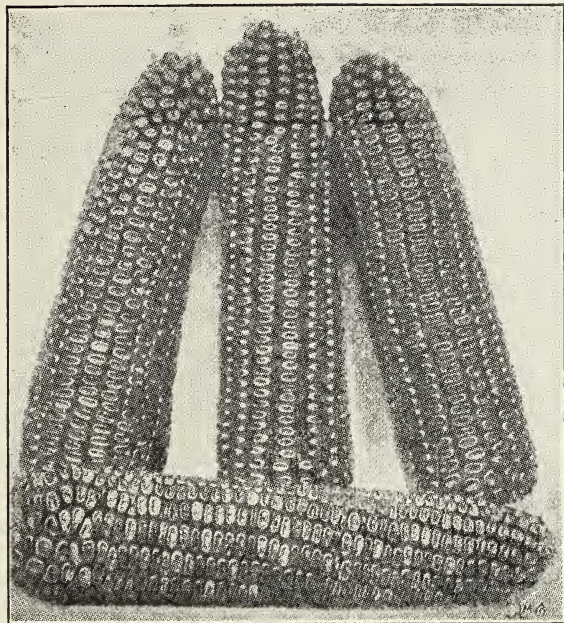




## Mixson's High-Grade Seed Corn

### MIXSON'S EUREKA CORN

This corn has become more popular each year since we introduced it in 1912, and is now one of the most popular varieties that we list. We have never had a surplus of this variety, and the present outlook is that we will not have enough to supply the demand this season. This corn was first grown in Carolina, in 1912. We believe that it is one of the best varieties on the market today, for general use. It has a white grain and small white cob. Runs eighteen to twenty rows to the ear, and two ears to the stalk. Grains are long, and slightly pointed, which enables the rows to grow close together. Matures very early, in fact almost as early as the White and Yellow Dent varieties. Makes fine meal and is a very good keeper. The stalks produce an abundance of fodder. Price, postpaid, pt. 25c, qt. 40c. By freight or express, not prepaid: Peck, \$1.00; bushel, \$3.50.



MIXSON'S EUREKA CORN

**IMPROVED GOLDEN DENT.** This is by far the best of the yellow or golden varieties. It makes a good-sized ear, with a small cob, deep grains, and it is a very vigorous grower. It is a quick maturing variety, and for this reason is very often planted very early for the earliest possible feed, or very late after truck. We have had many farmers to tell us that it withstands adverse weather conditions better than any other variety. It produces two to three good, sound ears to the stalk, and it is one of the very best varieties we list for all-around purposes. We sell a tremendous quantity of Improved Golden Dent seed every year, and pay special attention to our stocks. They are grown by one of the most careful farmers in the South, and there is no better strain than ours. Pkt. 10c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, postpaid; peck \$1.00, bushel \$3.75, not prepaid.

**HICKORY KING CORN.** This is a beautiful grained corn, very large grains and the cob so small that a medium sized grain will cover the end completely. The corn is of good quality and makes very fine meal. It is also a very good keeper. Does best on upland. It is not generally known as a prolific variety, but often makes two and three ears to the stalk on good land. This variety crosses very easily and it is always a good plant to secure first-class seed for planting stock every year, so you can keep the type pure, otherwise it will get mixed and change the general appearance altogether. Prices, pkt. 10c, pint 25c, quart 40c, postpaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, peck \$1.00, bushel \$3.75.

**PAYMASTER.** This is a famous corn in Mississippi and Tennessee, where the large yields of grain each year is fast increasing its popularity. This is a first-class main crop white corn. We advise at least a trial. Pkt. 10c, 1/2 lb. 15c, 1 lb. 25c, 2 lbs. 45c, postpaid; 14 lbs. \$1.25, 56 lbs. \$4.25, 100 lbs. \$7.25, not prepaid.

**TENNESSEE RED COB CORN.** This makes an enormous size ear, and a big yielder, provided it is planted in rich land. Low bottom land is best suited to this variety, as it makes a large stalk as well as ear and takes pretty good land to produce it. Grains are wrinkled, long and pointed, and grow as long as 14 inches. The stalks have short

### Batts' Four Ear Prolific

This corn was originally a North Carolina corn, and the one which Jerry Moore planted when he broke the world's record for boys. It is a rather small-eared variety with grain closely set on the cob. It is very heavy, and very often a small ear of Batts' will weigh as much as a much larger ear of some other variety. It is not a very showy corn, but one that will give you bushels and weight at harvest. Our stock of this is well selected. Pkt. 10c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, postpaid; peck \$1.25, bushel \$4.35, not prepaid.

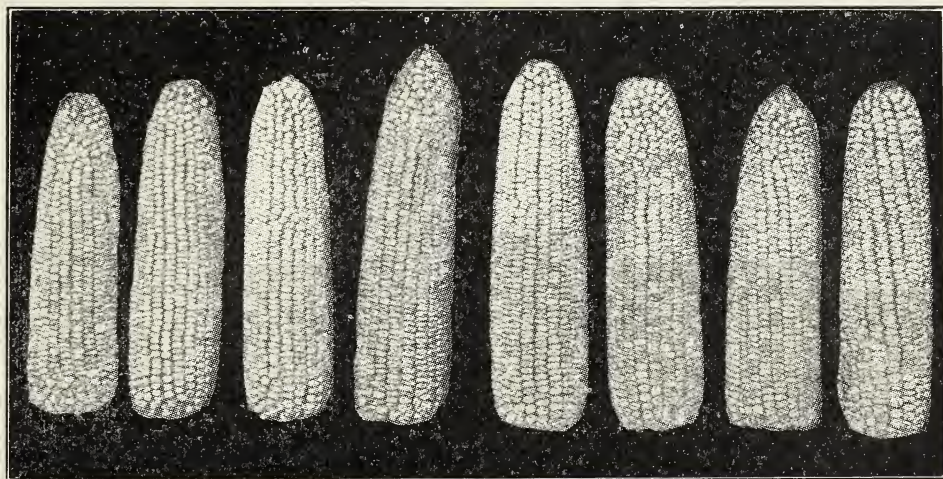
### Improved Marlboro Prolific

This is one of the most popular white varieties on the market, and it has many good points. It makes 2 to 3 ears. Grain and cob white. It is not especially early in maturing, but it makes a good yield. Some of the corn prizes in this State have been won with this variety. It is a pure white corn, and for this reason makes excellent milling. Our Marlboro is grown by one of the most careful farmers in the South, and no better stock exists. Pkt. 10c, pint 25c, qt. 40c, postpaid; peck \$1.25, bushel \$4.00, not prepaid.

**EARLY WHITE DENT.** This is perhaps the earliest of our White Corns, and one which is planted very largely. The grain and cob are white, two ears to the stalk. The grains are deep, and cob comparatively small, giving a good proportion of grain. A number of farmers prefer planting our White Dent after truck, on account of its quick maturing. Pkt. 10c, pt. 25c, qt. 40c, postpaid; pk. \$1.00, bushel \$3.75.

**YELLOW ARGENTINE CORN.** This is a very flinty corn that we get from Argentine, is specially desirable for pigeon feed and "hogging down." Pkt. 10c, 1/2 lb. 15c, 1 lb. 25c, 2 lbs. 40c, postpaid; 14 lbs. \$1.00. Ask for price in quantity. We also supply a grade of this for pigeon feed.

**IMPROVED SOUTHERN WHITE SNOWFLAKE.** This is a most valuable field variety, one that makes a large yield, and, when ground, makes meal of the finest quality. It also makes a splendid roasting ear corn, being deep-grained, producing large-sized ears, of a shape that is most salable for green corn in our markets. It is an early and quick-growing variety, maturing its crop in about 100 days. It grows about 8 feet in height; ears set 4 to 5 feet from the ground. Nearly always produces two ears to the stalk. Does not blow down easily. Will make good corn in poor land where other sorts with large stalks will fall. Our market-garden customers will find this a particularly valuable sort for making green corn to sell for roasting ears. Pkt. 10c, pt. 25c, qt. 45c, postpaid; pk. \$1.15, bu. \$4.00.



TENNESSEE RED COB CORN

joints and are therefore good producers of foliage. This is a good variety for ensilage purposes. If you want a good, large eared variety plant Tennessee Red Cob. Price, pkt. 10c, quart 40c, postpaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, pk. \$1.10, bushel \$4.00.





## Mixson's Six-Ear Prolific Wins \$100.00 Prize

The South Carolina Agricultural Society offered a prize of \$100.00 for the best acre of corn raised by any of its members. This prize was won by Mr. O. D. Hamlin, Mt. Pleasant, S. C., who planted MIXSON'S SIX-EAR PROLIFIC on his acre and harvested 100 bushels and 23 pounds. The corn was weighed and certified by Mr. W. M. Frampton, Secretary of the S. C. Agricultural Society.

This variety of corn is one of the most reliable ever grown in the South and has gained in popularity every year since introduced. One reason for its wide and continually growing popularity is its adaptability to such a wide range of soils and climatic conditions. It will make a paying crop under more difficult conditions than any variety known in the South.

The reliability of our seed of this variety is well shown by the prizes won by those who have planted our seed and reports indicate that it has given fully one hundred per cent. satisfaction.

These two pictures  
show a pedigree stalk  
and ear of our genuine

### SIX-EAR PROLIFIC CORN

We have the true stock of this wonderful selection, and it is sure to please you with the way it looks when you receive the seed from us and the way it will germinate and grow. The yield is the surest of any variety we have ever tried. It is a corn for every purpose—first as roasting ear or for ensilage, then to feed.

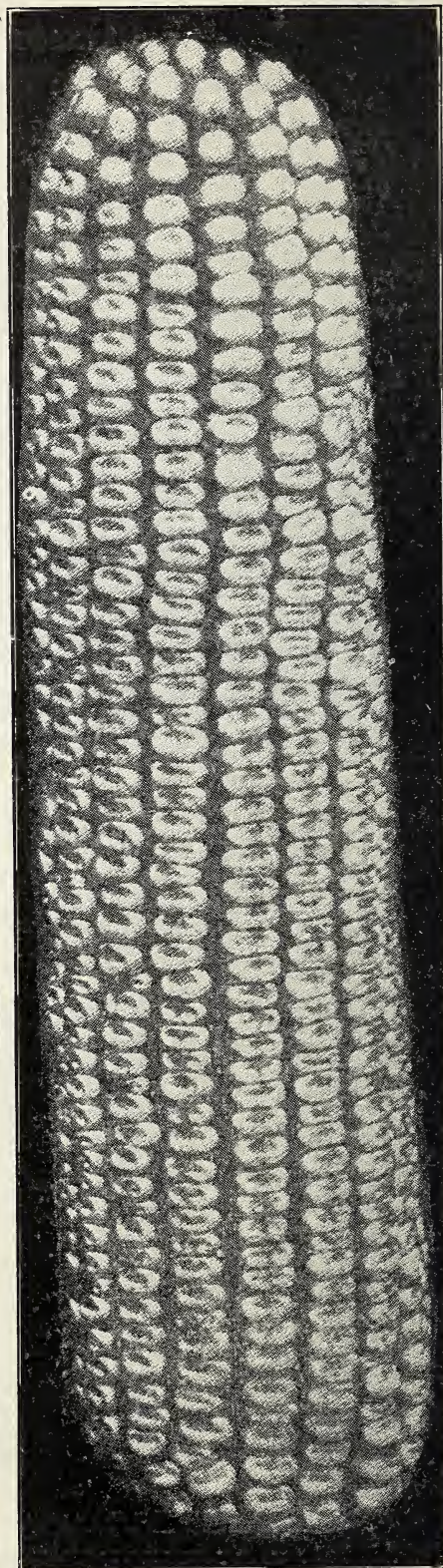
It keeps well in the field, damaging less from bad weather than other varieties. It is fine for rich bottom lands and does better than any other on high, sandy soils. The weevils do not bother it much. It makes good meal and the best of feed for stock.

You can depend on this Carolina grown Six-Ear Corn we have. You can safely put your whole crop in it.

Pkt. 10c, ½ lb. 15c, lb. 25c, 2 lbs. 40c, postpaid; 14 lbs. \$1.25, 56 lbs. \$4.25, 100 lbs. \$7.75.

MIXSON'S GENUINE SIX-EAR PROLIFIC  
The Prize Winning Stock

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.



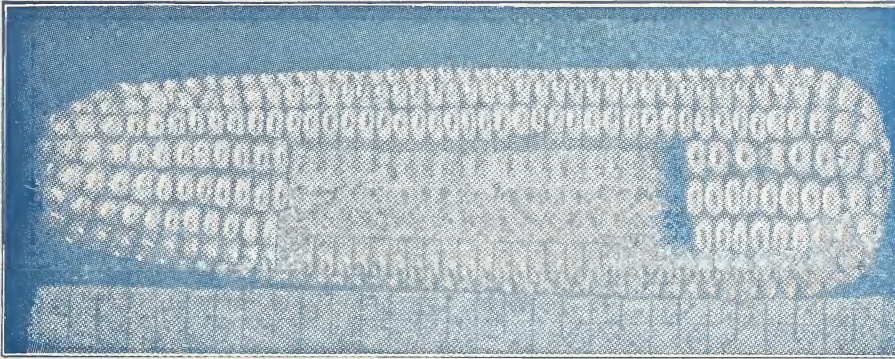
MIXSON'S SIX-EAR CORN



# Mixson's 10 per cent. Cob Corn Will Please 100 per cent. of Those Who Plant It In 1920.

This variety is our **SOUTH CAROLINA SPECIAL** and is ideally adapted to South Carolina, from the sea coast to the mountain valleys. Five years of faithful trials in every part of the State have proven its great value as a variety of corn that you can use on the farm for every purpose. Its adaptability to every soil and climate of the State is greater than any variety ever offered. It may be successfully and profitably planted from the earliest planting date up to the 25th of June, for a good crop of grain, and to July 15th for fodder or ensilage.

You can fill a 90-ton silo with it in less time and with a better quality of feed than with any other variety. This is certainly the corn for every one to plant.



MIXSON'S TEN PER CENT. COB CORN

## MIXSON'S TEN PER CENT COB CORN

This variety was introduced by us four years ago, and since that time has met with wonderful success. We don't believe there is a corn on the market today that will produce as little cob and as large percentage of shelled corn. It certainly deserves the name that we have given it, "TEN PER CENT." In planting corn, you want corn, not cob, and you get corn when you buy "Ten Per Cent." This corn has shown up better in our trials than any other variety. We are more interested in the development of this corn than any other variety and cannot say too much in favor of this wonderful selection.

**Description.**—It has a long, deep grain, and a very small white cob. From one hundred pounds in the cob, we shelled and recleaned ninety pounds of sound corn. The ten pounds of cob included what chaff and trash there was. It produces from two to three ears to the stalk, and sometimes four. Ears are medium size, well-filled out over both ends. Succeeds well on any kind of soil. Don't fail to plant at least a part of your crop in "Ten Per Cent" this spring. It will pay you and we are certain that you will be pleased with it. Pkt. 10c; pint 30c, quart 45c, postpaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, peck \$1.25, bushel \$4.50.

## THE BIG EARED PRIZEWINNER. SHAW'S IMPROVED CORN

Has a proven yield of 140 bushels per acre and a quart of corn from one ear. This is undoubtedly the best large-eared variety. The ears grow to an enormous size, sometimes measuring 15 inches. It is a medium or late variety. Will average one large ear to the stalk, which will shell out nearly a full quart of well-matured grains. While the grains are not as hard as some other varieties, it is an excellent keeper. The stalks are stout with close joints and grow tall, which gives them much forage. Our stock is strictly first-class, grown by the originator, and you will make no mistake in planting some of this variety. Packet 10c, 1 pint 25c, quart 45c, postpaid. By freight or express, not prepaid, peck \$1.25, bushel \$4.50.

## MEXICAN JUNE CORN

This is the sure crop, late corn. Plant it from June 1st to tenth of July. The demand for seed of this variety is usually larger every

**CORN IS A SAFE CROP** to plant and is at present more profitable than it has ever been. The cost of production has not increased so much as for cotton. The boll weevil makes it necessary to reduce the cotton acreage in many places every year; corn with velvet beans planted close to the corn, and peas or soja beans planted in the middles when the corn is laid by, is one of the most profitable crops that can take the place of the cotton and on many farms this combination has proven more profitable than cotton.

There is a great amount to be learned about the improved ways of growing corn. On many farms where the yield of corn has always been very small per acre and where not enough has been grown for home use, the new and improved ways of growing corn has produced a big surplus, and this has been done with very little extra work. We shall be pleased to supply complete information on improved ways of growing corn, to any one who will ask for the instructions. With the present value of corn in view and the certainty that its value will remain high for several years, we will all be safe in planting a good increase in corn acreage this year.

year than the supply of genuine Mexican June Corn Seed. It is unusually good for roasting ears, and ensilage. No corn will equal it in tonnage of ensilage per acre. The stalk is enormous and has one and two good ears. It makes the largest yield of grain when planted about 1st of July. On the truck farms about Charleston this corn is taking the place of Early White and Yellow Dent to follow the early vegetable crops, then peas and velvet beans are planted to be turned under later for fertilizer. Genuine Mexican June Corn. Pkt. 10c; 1-2 lb. 15c; 1 lb. 25c; 2 lb. 40c; 14 lb. \$1.25. Write for price in larger quantity, postpaid.

## IMPROVED FARMER'S PRIDE

This variety has for years been very popular in the Southeast, where it has always proven to be especially adapted to soil and climatic conditions. An improvement has been made in this corn by developing a flintier or harder grain. It turns out the largest percentage of grain to weight of ear. As a variety for grey land it is unexcelled. Pkt. 10c, ½ lb. 15c, 1 lb. 25c, 2 lbs. 40c, postpaid; 14 lbs. \$1.25, 56 lbs. \$4.75, 100 lbs. \$8.00.

W. H. MIXSON SEED COMPANY, 217-219 EAST BAY STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C.





# MIXSON'S

Great

## 10% Cob Corn

### Views of a small portion of our FERNDALE FARM AND TRIAL GROUNDS.

Photos 1 and 2 show our great 10 per cent Cob Corn as it appeared in May following a fine crop of our Genuine Charleston Wakefield Cabbage. Cabbage plants were set first of December and the crop sold the 15th, of April. Cabbage was our most profitable crop on the farm for the Spring, 1919.

This 10 per cent Cob Corn is the best variety we have ever seen. It is an admirable corn for all purposes. Heaviest yielder of grain. Makes fine roasting ears or mutton corn, tender and fine flavored. For ensilage there is no variety that will turn out a greater tonnage per acre. Picture No. 3 shows the corn nearly ready to be cut and shocked. It will yield fully seventy bushels an acre and make an immense amount of forage. For prices and other facts see page 49.